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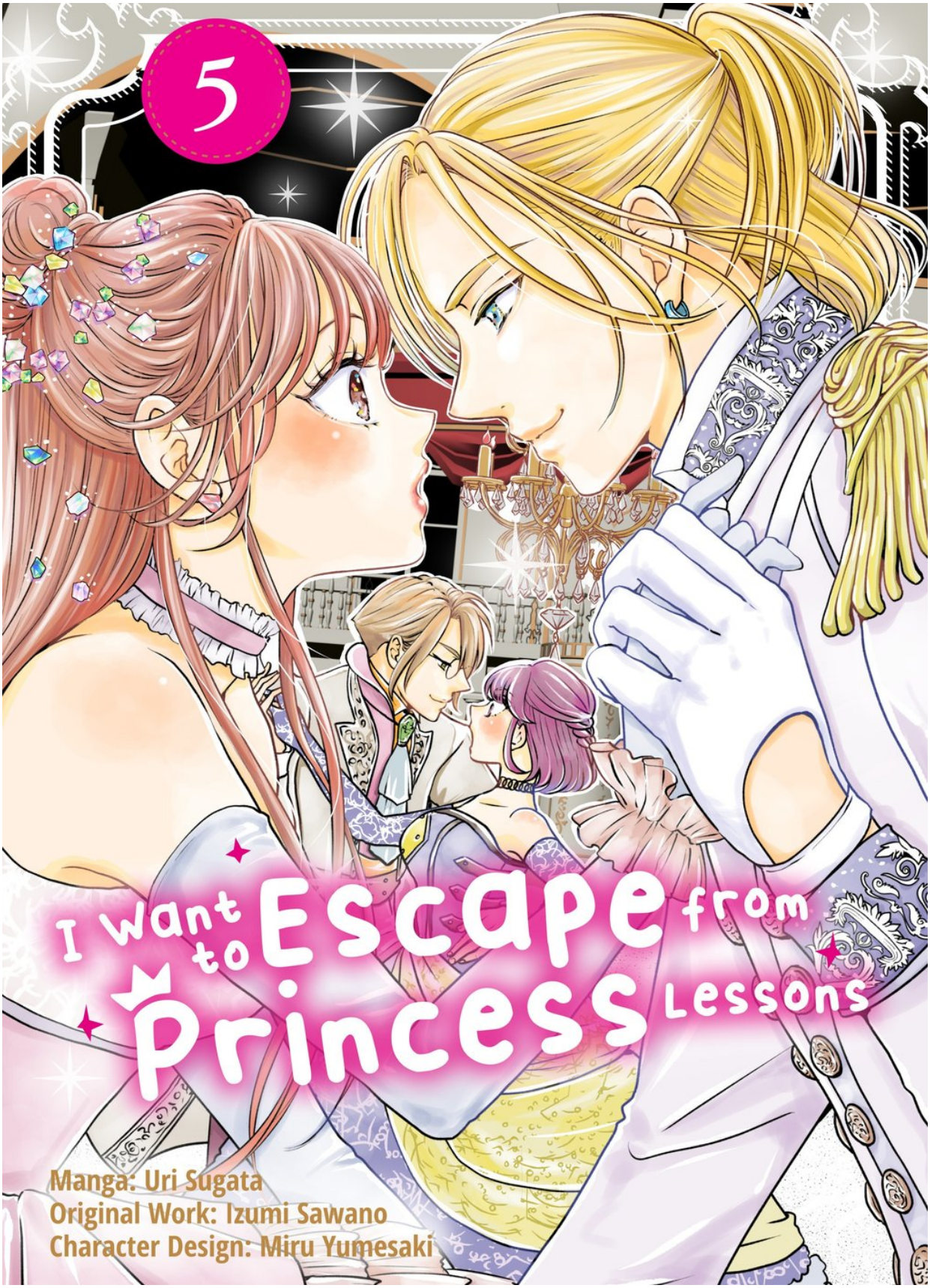
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Character Introduction

STORY

Due to her family's exorbitant debt, Brianna hatches a plan to use her voluptuous curves to marry into money and avoid bankruptcy. She goes to countless parties, until one day she's approached by Nadir, close aide to the crown prince. He proposes a deal: Pretend to be his fake fiancé, and he'll pay off her family's debt.
Brianna accepts, but this fake arrangement leads to an engagement party, a date, and even a visit to her parents. Not only that, but Nadir seems unusually curious about her first love...

Brianna

Baron Lariquel's daughter. When she was seven years old, she was adopted from an orphanage. Nicknamed Brie.

Nadir

Duke Dorman's eldest son. Intelligent and athletic, but has a rotten personality.

Ben

Nadir's butler.
Useless at his job.
Grew up in the same orphanage as Brianna.

Clarke

Crown prince of the Kingdom of Astarl.
Whenever Leticia escapes, he chases after her.

Leticia

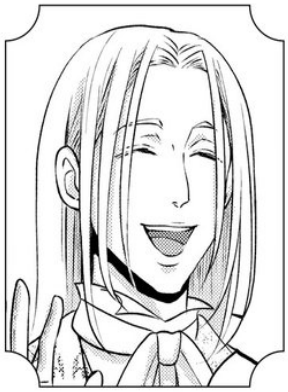
Crown princess of the Kingdom of Astarl.
Nadir's younger sister.
Escapes the palace every chance she gets.

Maria

Leticia's handmaiden.
Once part of a viscountcy in the Kingdom of Delbaran.

Louis

Third prince of the Kingdom of Delbaran.
Has unrequited feelings for Maria.



Abel

Son of Count Arland.
Nadir's friend.

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ガラ KLAKKA
ガラ KLAKKA
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ガラ KLAKKA
HUH? HUH?!
YOU'RE GOING...
...TO MEET MY PARENTS?
YOU? THE SON OF A DUKE?
OF COURSE. I NEED TO ASK THEM FOR YOUR HAND.

Chapter 42

THEY'VE ALREADY AGREED IN WRITING, BUT...
...NOW THAT IT'S A KNOWN FACT IN THE CAPITAL THAT YOU'RE MY FIANCÉE...
...IT WOULD BE STRANGE NOT TO VISIT YOUR PARENTS.
I KNOW.
THE ESTATE IS IN NEED OF REPAIRS TOO...
DON'T WORRY. I'M NOT EXPECTING MUCH.
NGH...
I MEAN, SURE, BUT...
PROB-LEM IS...
KLAK
IT GOES WITHOUT SAYING, BUT... IT'S REALLY PROVINCIAL OUT THERE.
...WE DON'T EVEN HAVE A BED FOR GUESTS!

WE HAD TO SELL ALMOST EVERYTHING... WE ONLY KEPT THE BARE MINIMUM.
HE'LL JUST BE ALL, "I GUESS I'LL TAKE MY LEAVE FOR TODAY."
OBVIOUSLY. RIGHT...?
W-WELL, IT'S FINE.
No way...
Ugh... it's so small!
Whatever!
THIS PLACE REALLY IS PROVINCIAL.
YAAWN...
ガラ KLAK
KLAK ガラ
ガラ KLAK
HMPH!
FIELD AFTER FIELD AFTER FIELD
THIS RUDE MAN!
I MEAN, YES, THERE'S NOTHING FOR MILES...
...BUT MY PARENTS TAKE GOOD CARE OF THEIR TERRITORY, OKAY?!
He chose to come here!!!
ガラ KLAK
ガラ KLAK
ガラ KLAK
ぷくー
Pout

HMPH.
RUSTLE
RUSTLE
?
EAT.
THESE ARE POPULAR IN THE CAPITAL, IT SEEMS.
HUH?
WOOOW!
THESE ARE GREAT!
GRIN
GRIN
BLUSH
UGH...
I'M ALL GIDDY OVER A COUPLE SWEETS.
WOW, THEY'RE SO PRETTY AND ORNATE...
I WONDER HOW THEY'RE MADE...
H-HE'S TOTALLY BRIBING ME WITH FOOD.
NIBBLE

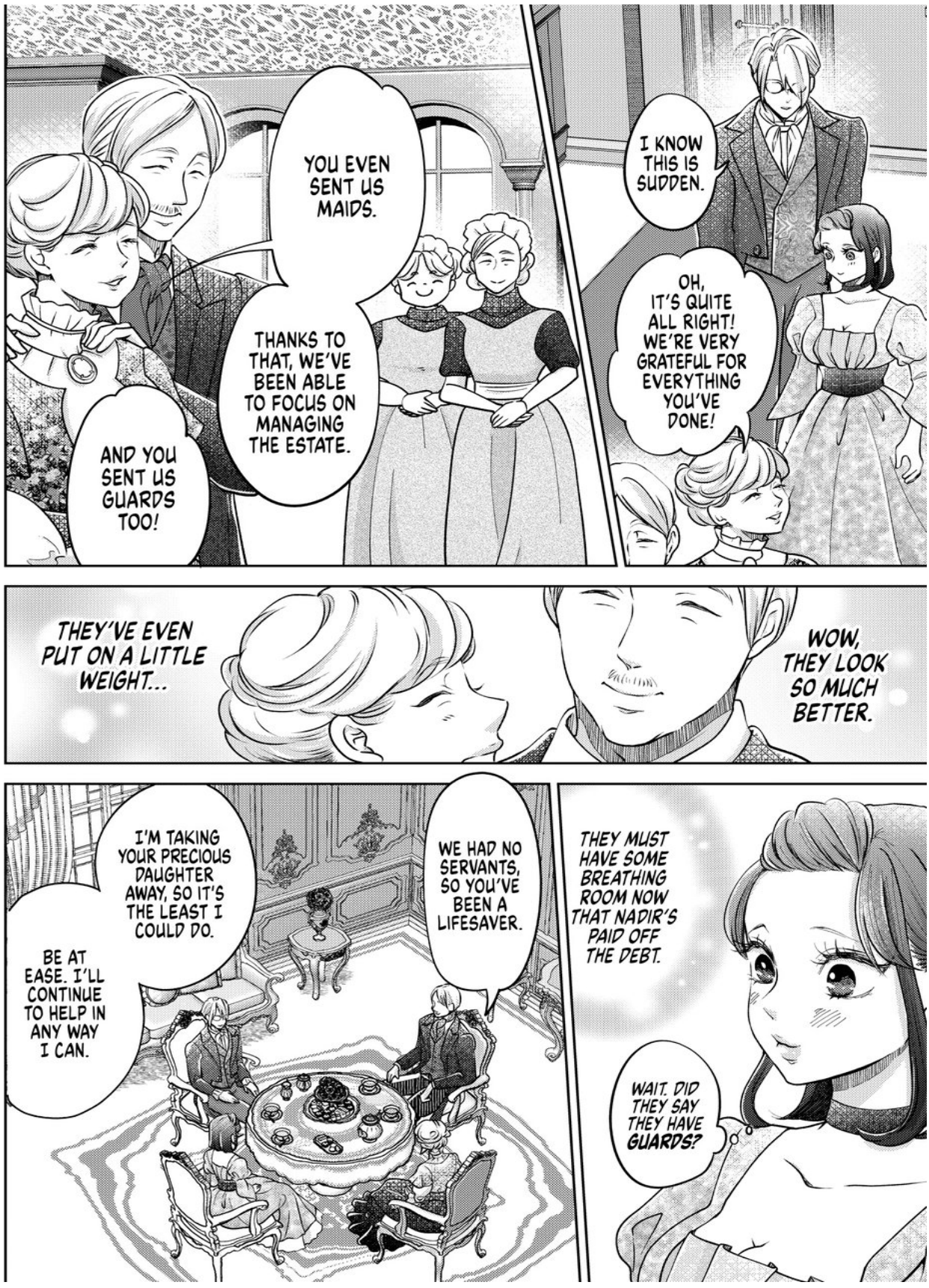
FSH
スッ…
!
RESEACH
そろり…
I'M SO EASILY SWAYED.
MUNCH
ぱく
MUNCH
ぱく
GOOD!
MUNCH
ぱく
SOOO GOOD!
ふ…HEH…
THEY WENT TO MEET BRIE'S PARENTS?! ALONE?!

JUST A FEW DAYS AGO, ANNA WAS ALL SIGHS...
WHAAAT?! BUT I CAME ALL THIS WAY!
THAT'S RIGHT! THEY'RE NOT HOME.
At least there's tea.
WHAT'S WRONG?
HAAH...
YOU HAVEN'T SEEN YOUR PARENTS IN A WHILE.
YOU HAVE A POINT...
OH. I WAS JUST THINKING, I'VE BEEN IN THIS HOUSE FOR SIX MONTHS.
Oh dear!
ARE YOU HOMESICK, BRIANNA?
SO I TOLD THE YOUNG MASTER THAT, AND...

BRIANNA. WE'RE GOING TO GO SEE YOUR PARENTS.
...THAT'S WHAT HE SAID.
WELL, THAT'S JUST PEACHY!
MEAN-WHILE, HE'S AWFUL TO HIS LITTLE SISTER!

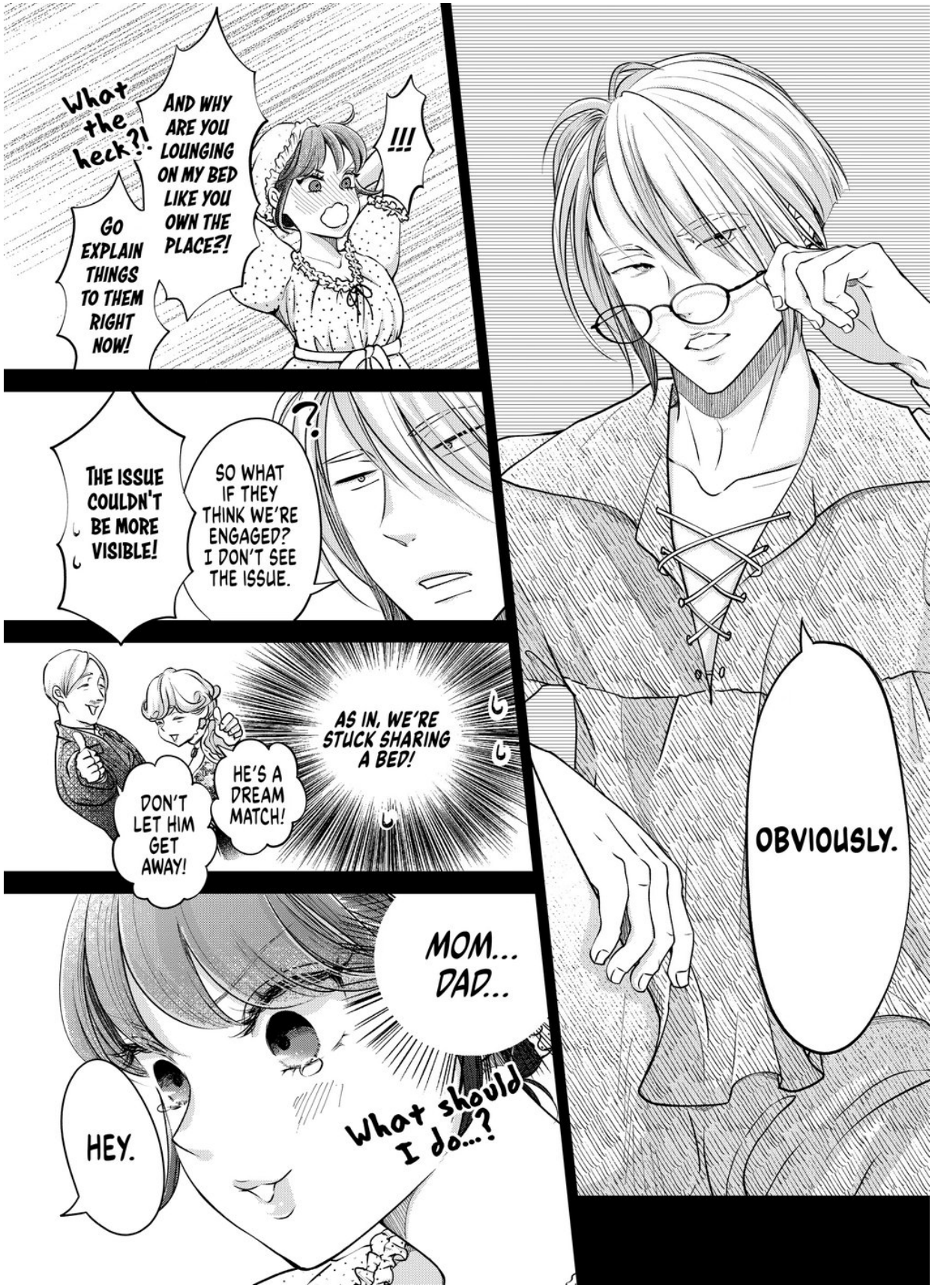
BY THE WAY, WHAT DOES "HOMESICK" MEAN?
HEH HEH...
...

MOTHEEER! FATHEEER!
I'M HOOOME!
BRIANNA! IT'S SO GOOD TO SEE YOU!
WELCOME TO OUR HUMBLE ABODE, LORD NADIR.


I KNOW THIS IS SUDDEN.
OH, IT'S QUITE ALL RIGHT! WE'RE VERY GRATEFUL FOR EVERYTHING YOU'VE DONE!
YOU EVEN SENT US MAIDS.
THANKS TO THAT, WE'VE BEEN ABLE TO FOCUS ON MANAGING THE ESTATE.
AND YOU SENT US GUARDS TOO!
THEY'VE EVEN PUT ON A LITTLE WEIGHT...
WOW, THEY LOOK SO MUCH BETTER.
WE HAD NO SERVANTS, SO YOU'VE BEEN A LIFESAVER.
I'M TAKING YOUR PRECIOUS DAUGHTER AWAY, SO IT'S THE LEAST I COULD DO.
BE AT EASE. I'LL CONTINUE TO HELP IN ANY WAY I CAN.
THEY MUST HAVE SOME BREATHING ROOM NOW THAT NADIR'S PAID OFF THE DEBT.
WAIT. DID THEY SAY THEY HAVE GUARDS?

NOW, AS FOR A ROOM FOR THE NIGHT...
HE NEVER SMILES AT ME LIKE THAT!
THAT CAREFREE SMILE!
SMILE
OH NO!
?!
I HOPE THAT'S ALL RIGHT.
YOU'LL BE STAYING WITH BRIANNA IN HER CHAMBERS.

HOOT
HOOT
WH-
WHAT THE HECK IS THIS?!
THE BATH WAS SMALL, BUT THE NIGHT SKY FROM THE WINDOW WAS LOVELY.
I made the main course myself!
YOUR MOTHER IS A GREAT COOK.
I ATE QUITE A LOT.
YOU'RE LETTING MY PARENTS THINK WE'RE ACTUALLY ENGAGED?!
WHY DIDN'T YOU EXPLAIN WE'RE JUST PRETENDING SO I CAN PAY YOU BACK?!
WAIT, THAT'S NOT THE POINT!
IT IS! THE AIR IS REALLY CLEAR HERE, AND....
IT'S A GREAT SPOT.


!!!
What the heck?!
And why are you lounging on my bed like you own the place?!
Go explain things to them right now!
Obviously.
?!
So what if they think we're engaged? I don't see the issue.
The issue couldn't be more visible!
As in, we're stuck sharing a bed!
He's a dream match!
Don't let him get away!
Mom... Dad...
What should I do...?
Hey.

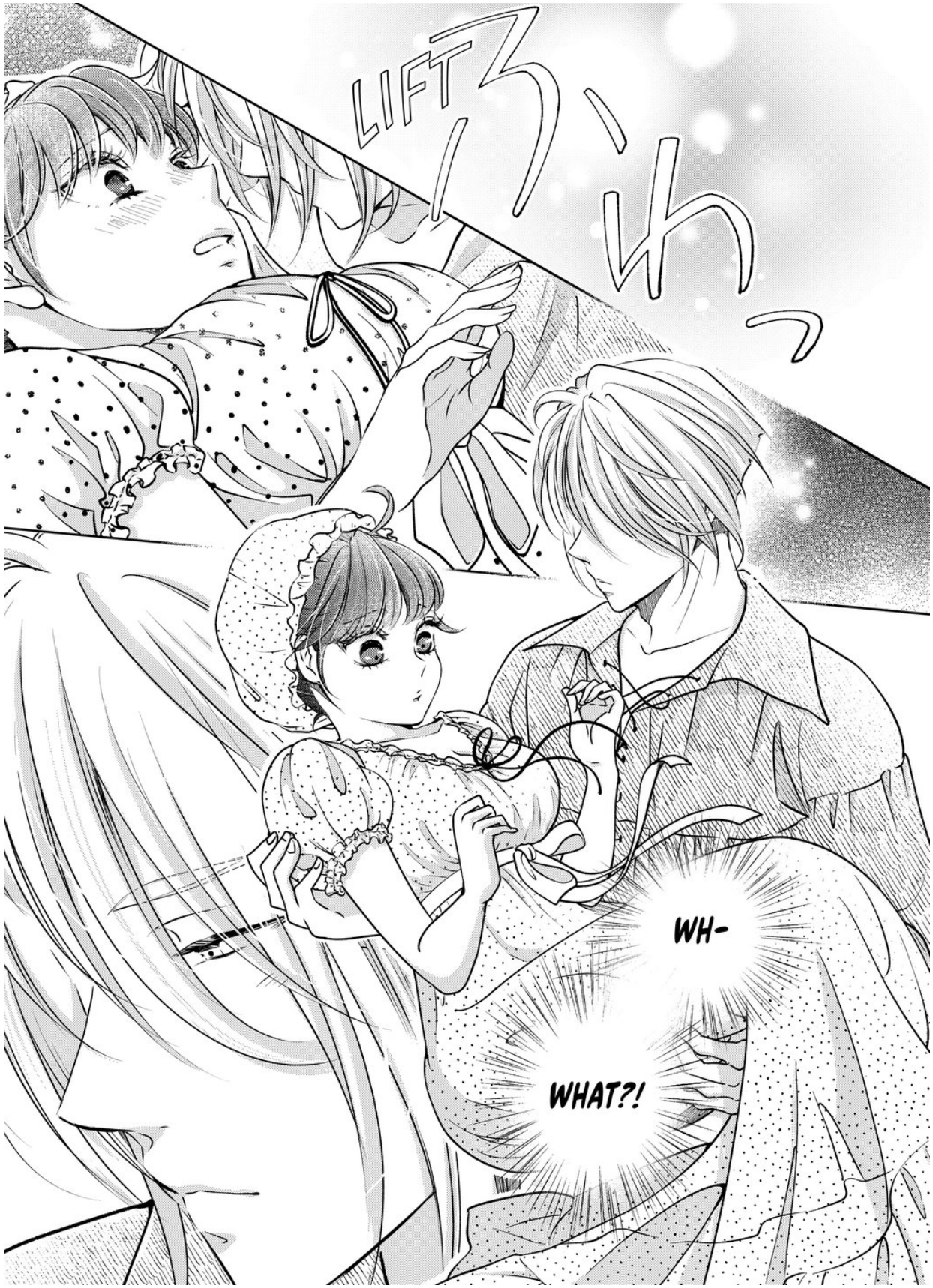
WE MAY AS WELL ACT THE PART.
YOU NEVER KNOW WHO MIGHT BE LISTENING IN. WE DON'T WANT ANY LEAKS.
HE THINKS JUST LIKE A VILLAIN...
BESIDES, YOUR PARENTS GOT SCAMMED INTO DEBT BECAUSE THEY'RE SUCH GOOD PEOPLE.
Do you really want them to know the truth?
NO, BUT...
ALSO, WHAT WAS THAT ABOUT GUARDS?
Oh!
GUARDS. PEOPLE WHO GUARD THINGS.
?
YOU'RE THE FIANCÉE TO THE SON OF A DUKE.
IT'S MY DUTY TO ENSURE YOUR FAMILY IS SAFE TOO.
YOU'RE RIGHT... THANK YOU.

ANYWAY, THAT'S WHY...
...I'LL BE SPENDING THE NIGHT HERE.
YOU WOULDN'T CONSIDER GOING BACK TONIGHT, WOULD YOU?
No.
RIGHT.
BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP

YOU WON'T DO ANYTHING UNTOWARD, WILL YOU?
NO.
PROM-ISE?
PROM-ISE.
PINKY PROMISE?
PINKY PROMISE!
...
NOW HE'S MAD AT ME.
HMPH!
I MEAN, IT MAKES SENSE.
YOU WOULDN'T WANT SOMEONE LIKE ME ANYWAY.

CREAK
...
POOF
UWAAAH...
BY THE WAY...
?!
HUH?!
...WE'LL BE BEDMATES TONIGHT, WON'T WE?

BEDMATE
A PERSON WITH WHOM A BED IS SHARED. HAS CERTAIN CONNOTATIONS.
ぐらぐら WOBBLE
ドクン BA-DUMP
B-BEDMATES ...?!
ドーン THUD
HEY! ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?!
OWW...
ドクン BA-DUMP
ドクン BA-DUMP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ろいっ
WH-
WHAT?!

HUH...?
HUUUH?!

Chapter 43

CREAK
ギッ
BA-DUMP
ドクン
I-I CAN'T LOOK AT HIM.
BA-DUMP
ドクン
BA-DUMP
ドクン

NO ONE'S EVER CARRIED ME LIKE THIS...
WAIT, FOR-GET THAT!
WHAT DO I DO?!
RUSTLE
TUCK
CREAK
!

HE GOT UNDER THE COVERS!!!
U-UM ...
WH-WHAT? UH, WHAT?
WHAT'S THE FUSS? I'VE BATHED. I'M CLEAN.
NOW I'M GOING TO SLEEP.
GOOD NIGHT.
WHAT? OH. UM. GOOD NIGHT ...

WAIT! WHAT AM I DOING?!
TSK. SHE'S BACK TO HER SENSES.
WE CAN'T BE SLEEPING TOGETHER!
OH... HE'S ACTUALLY ASLEEP.
WHEW.
THE COVERS ARE SO WARM...
The carriage ride was exhausting.
A WOMAN SHOULDN'T SLEEP ON THE COUCH.
RUSH!
I-I'LL TAKE THE COUCH!

STOP.
AH...
THAT'S THOUGHTFUL OF HIM...
...AAAND I SHOULDN'T BE GUSHING!!!
SO...!
YOU TAKE THE COUCH, NADIR!
THIS BED IS HUGE. WHY SHOULD I TAKE THE COUCH?
I DON'T FEEL LIKE MOVING.
WHAT DOES HE MEAN, "WHY"...?

WELL, DUH!
WE'RE YOUNG AND OF THE OPPOSITE SEX!
TUG
グイッ
SO...WHAT YOU'RE SAYING IS, YOU SEE ME AS A MAN.
WOBBLE
OH...!

OF COURSE I DO!
YOU'RE VERY MUCH BIOLOGICALLY A MAN!
UNMARRIED MEN AND WOMEN DON'T SHARE BEDS!
RIGHT? RIGHT?!
IF I CAN'T TAKE THE COUCH, I'LL GO TO MY PARENTS' CHAMBERS!
UGH!
YOU'RE LEAVING YOUR FIANCÉ ALONE TO GO SLEEP WITH YOUR PARENTS?
THEY'LL WORRY THAT WE HAD AN ARGUMENT.
I WAS UNEASY ABOUT NADIR COMING TO VISIT, BUT...
...I CAN TELL THEY FELT REASSURED.
AND BESIDES, YOUR FATHER IS A MAN TOO!
URGH.
I DON'T WANT TO WORRY MY PARENTS...

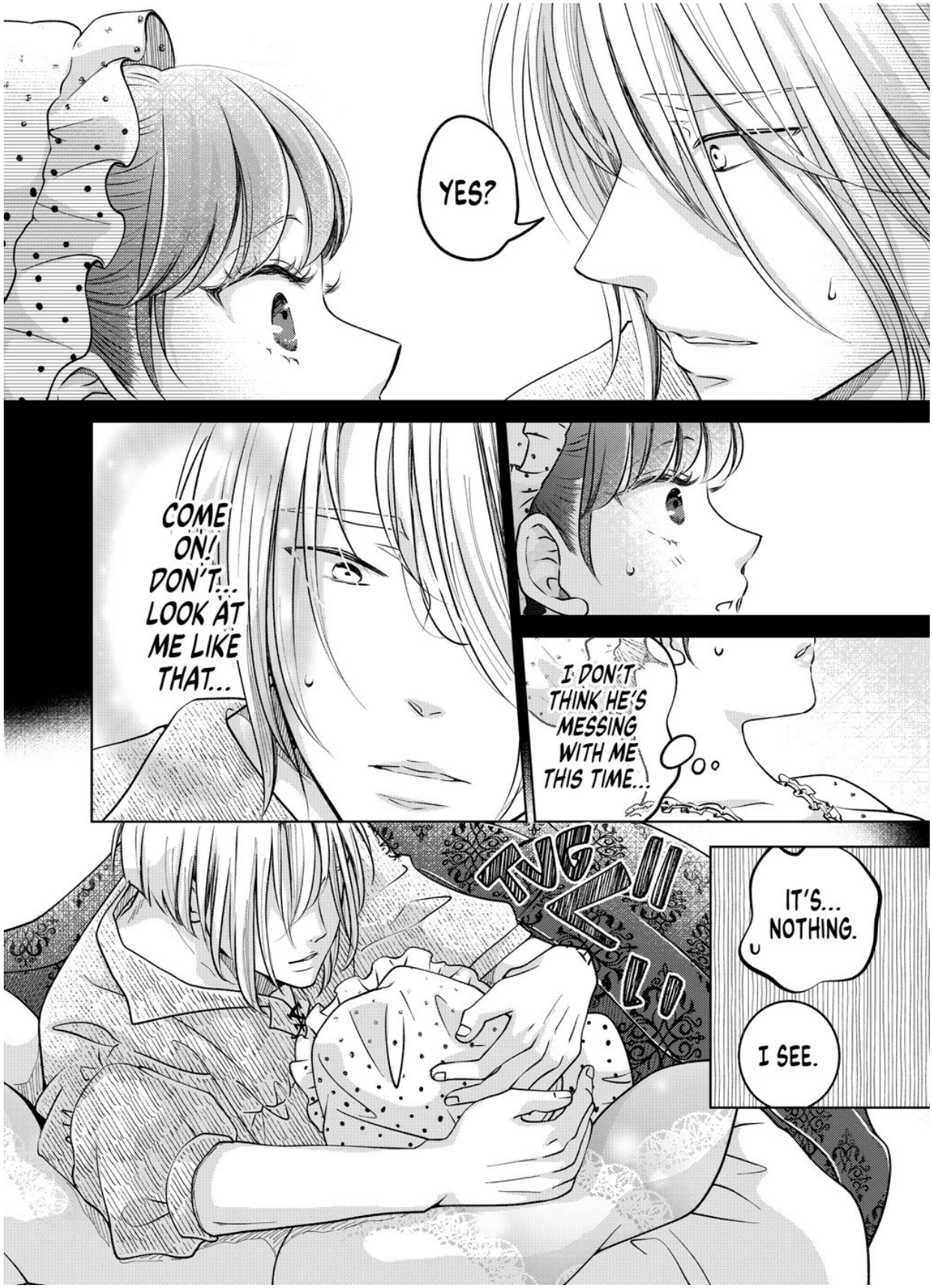
HAAAH...
DON'T DO ANYTHING FUNNY, OKAY?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY "FUNNY"?
!!!
THIS BULLY!!!
SMIRK
ニヤッ
!

GOOD NIGHT.
GOOD NIGHT!
POOF
HOOT
HOOT
...
DEAD SILENT
HOW AM I SUPPOSED TO FALL ASLEEP LIKE THIS?!
TOTALLY WIDE AWAKE

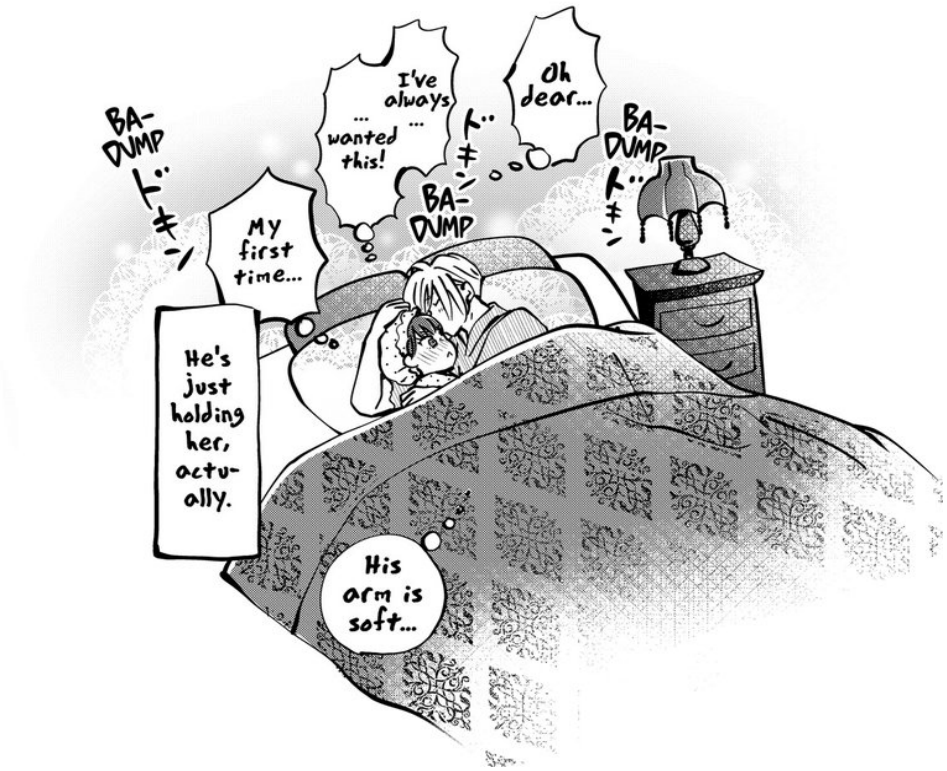
DAZZLED
DAZZLED
A MAN IS RIGHT THERE!!!
I COULDN'T BE LESS DROWSY.
I CAN'T SLEEP!
NADIR IS RIGHT THERE.
RUSTLE
MM...
PRETENDING TO SLEEP
...
WHAT ABOUT HIM? IS HE ASLEEP?
パチッ
BLINK
EEK!

HE'S AWAKE!!!
OUR EYES TOTALLY MET!!!
I CAN'T ESCAPE THIS!!! (SWEATS PROFUSELY)
WHAT IS IT?
BDMP
N-NOTHING ...
"SORRY, I CAN'T SLEEP BECAUSE I'M THINKING ABOUT YOU!"
I CAN'T TELL HIM THAT!
CAN'T SLEEP?
HE'S...
...SO CLOSE.

...
IF I BREATHE NOW...
...IT'LL TOTALLY GIVE AWAY HOW NERVOUS I AM!
BDMP BDMP
BDMP
BDMP BDMP
BDMP
ARE YOU OKAY?
PRESS
!
EEEEEEEEEK!
THAT SCARED ME!
I MANAGED NOT TO SHRIEK, THOUGH!
TMP
U-UM...
PFF
Hmm...


YES?
COME ON! DON'T... LOOK AT ME LIKE THAT...
I DON'T THINK HE'S MESSING WITH ME THIS TIME...
IT'S... NOTHING.
I SEE.

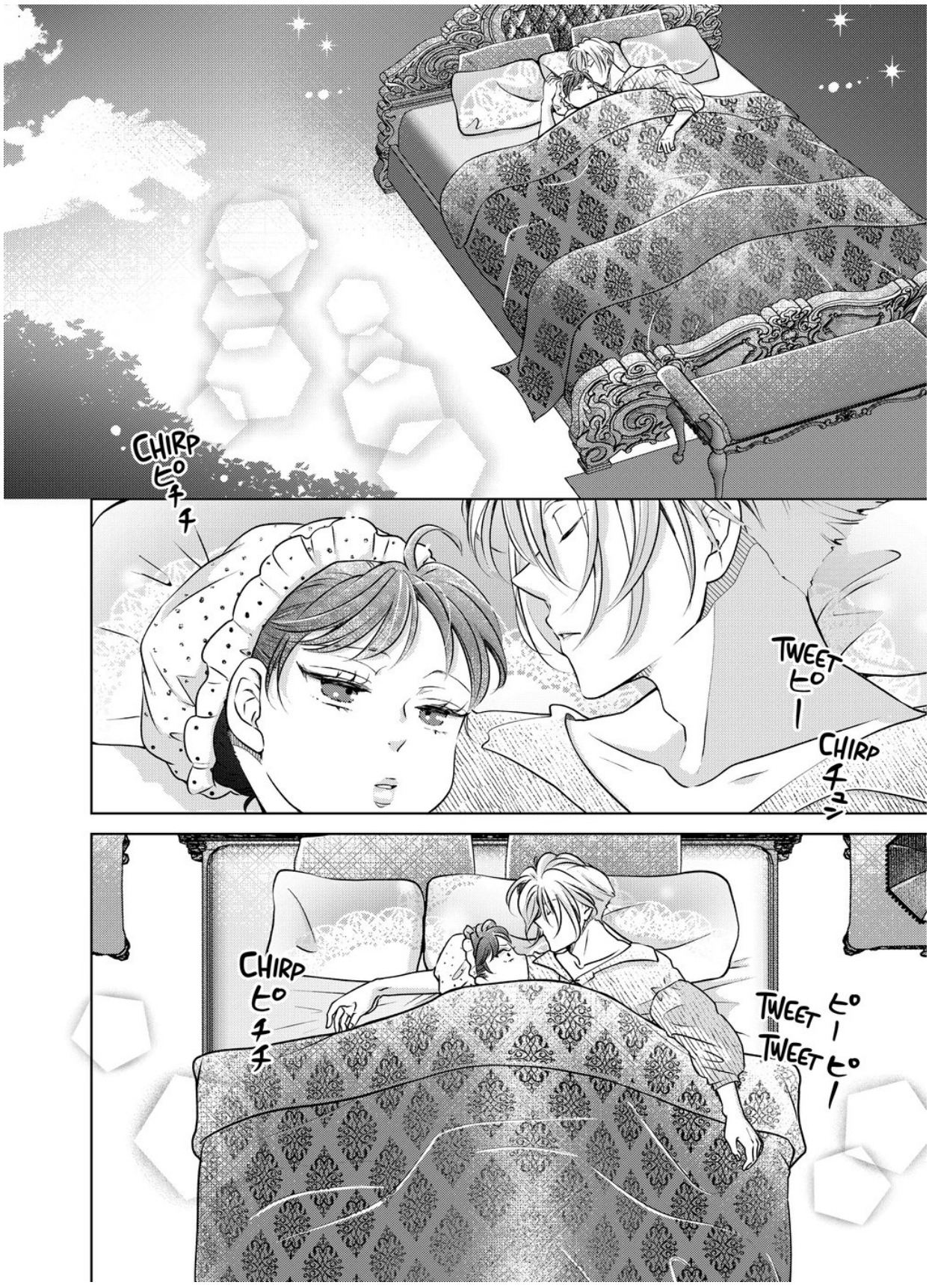
!
HUH?
HUH?
WHAT IS HE DOING?!
WAIT, IS HE...
...LETTING ME USE HIS ARM AS A PILLOW?!


BA-DUMP
ドキン
My first time...
He's just holding her, actually.
I've always ... wanted this!
ドキン
BA-DUMP
Oh dear...
BA-DUMP
ドキン
His arm is soft...

Chapter 44
HE'S LETTING ME USE HIS ARM AS A PILLOW...
I'VE ALWAYS DREAMED OF DOING THIS.
I NEVER, EVER THOUGHT IT WOULD HAPPEN, THOUGH. EVER.
I AM. USING A MAN'S ARM. AS A PILLOW!

AND NOT JUST ANY MAN.
A MAN WHO'S EXACTLY MY TYPE.
BE STILL, MY BEATING HEART.
BUT...THIS IS ODDLY CALMING...
HIS ARM IS...
...A LITTLE LESS COMFY THAN I THOUGHT IT'D BE.

WHAT IS...THIS FEELING?
WARM AND...
...REASSURING.
IS HE SMILING?
FEELING SLEEPY YET?
MM...
SMILE
OH NO...
HUH? OH...
I KIND OF LIKE THIS...
ZZZ...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TWEET
ピー
CHIRP
チュン
CHIRP
ピチチ
TWEET
ピー
TWEET
ピー

WAIT.
DID I FALL
ASLEEP?
WAIT, WERE
WE LIKE THIS
THE WHOLE
TIME?!
I SLEPT
LIKE A LOG!
I CAN'T BELIEVE
I ACTUALLY
FELL ASLEEP.
I DON'T
WANT TO
WAKE HIM
UP...
Did I
cut off his
circulation?
Is he okay?
IS HIS ARM
NOT NUMB?

BLINK
ぱち
SHUFFLE
モゾ…
TWITCH
ギクッ
U-UM
…
AWAKE AL-READY?
NOD
NOD
コク
コク
FIVE MORE MINUTES…
WHAT?!
MY HEART'S GONNA LEAP OUT OF MY THROAT!
うわあああああ!!
N-NADIR!

STARE
じっ…
BDMP
どっ
BDMP
どっ
BDMP
どっ
DID YOU NOT SLEEP WELL?
NO, I...DID, JUST...
どっ BDMP
どっ BDMP
I MUST BE BEET RED!
URK!
IT'S BRIGHT OUT! HE CAN TOTALLY SEE MY FACE!
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SIT
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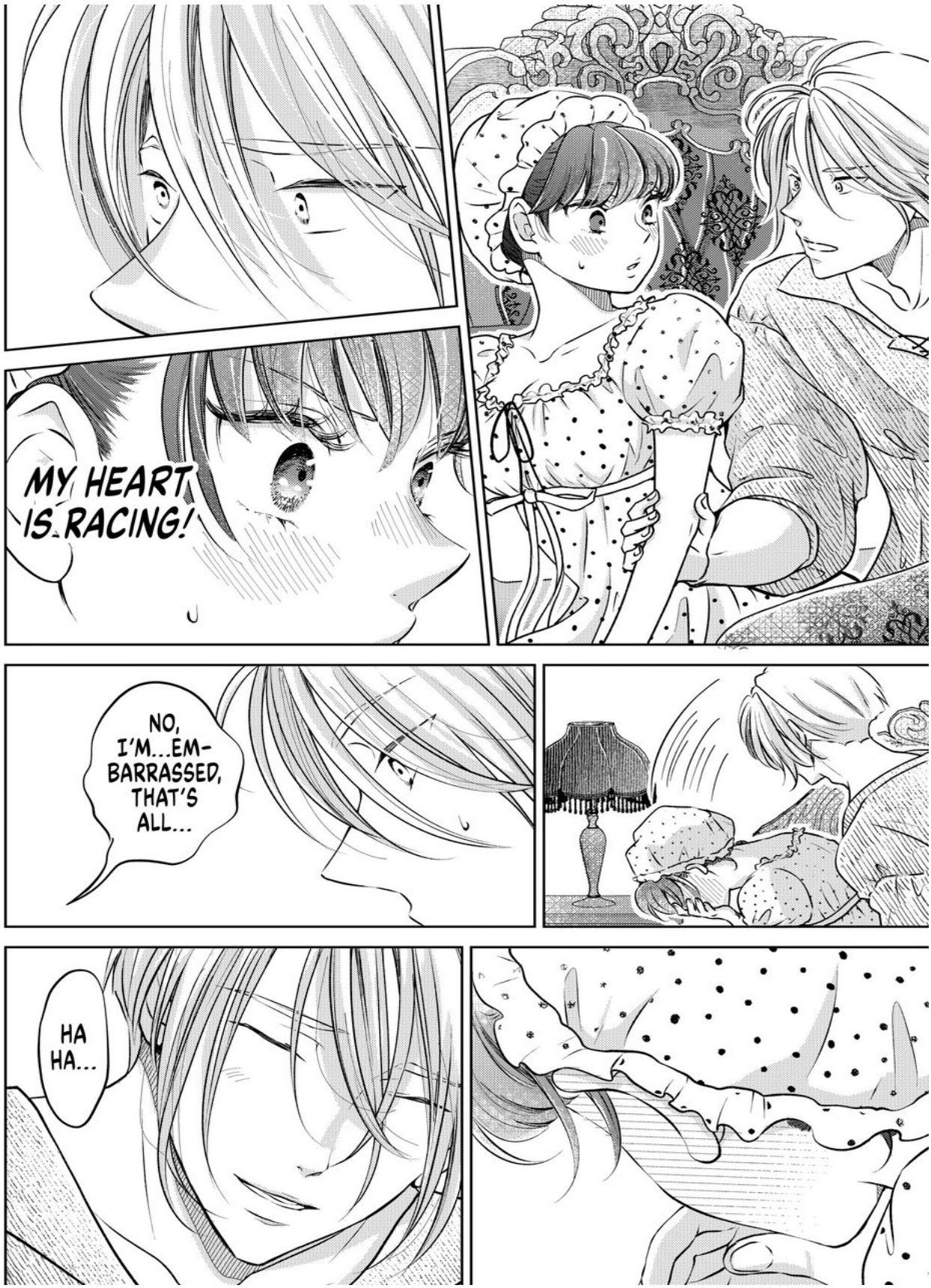
WHAT, ARE YOU ILL?!
ぎゅ
I-I'M DYING HERE...

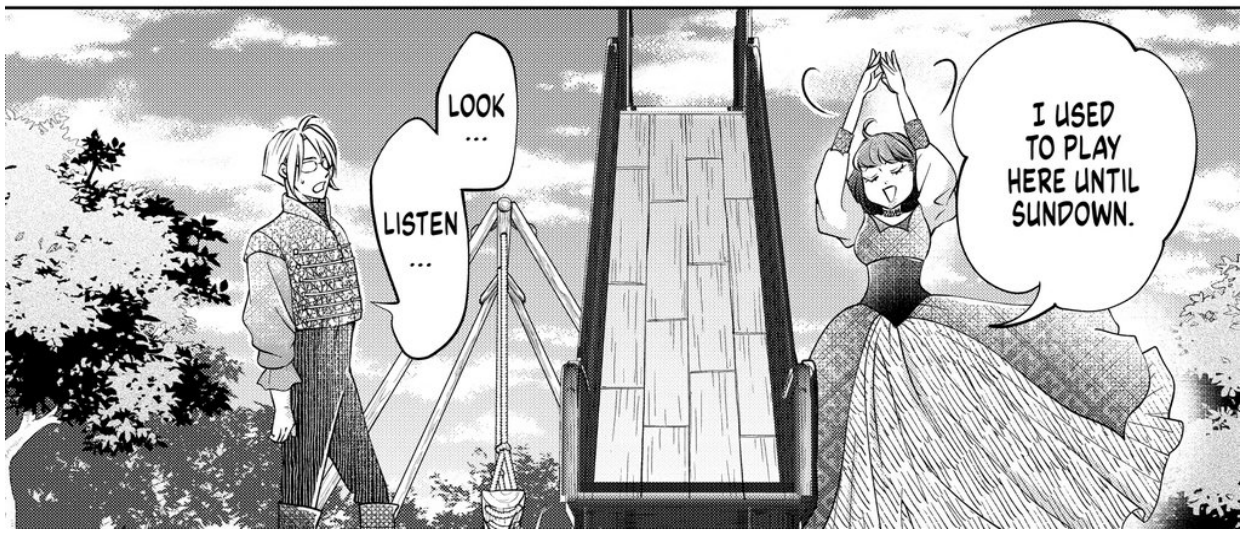

MY HEART IS RACING!
NO, I'M...EM-BARRASSED, THAT'S ALL...
HA HA...

AM I SO CLOSE THAT I'M MAKING YOU BLUSH?
WHERE DID LAST NIGHT'S GENTLEMAN GO?!
YES! SO LET GO!!!
IT'S SO EARLY, BUT...
...I'M ALREADY EXHAUST-ED...
NOW THEN...

TIME FOR YOU...
...TO HELP ME CHANGE.
FREEZE
WHAT? TODAY? COME ON...
DO IT.
THERE REALLY IS NOTHING OUT HERE.
YAWN
ふぁ…
SO... WHY DON'T WE GO HOME?
UGH! NOTICE MY DISTRESS, DAMN YOU!

BREAKFAST WAS GOOD.
!
SET ASIDE HER SHAME AND HELPED HIM CHANGE
HIS CHEST... I WAS PUSHED RIGHT UP AGAINST IT!
WE DON'T NEED TO SELL EVERYTHING TO PAY OFF INTEREST ANYMORE!
WE HAVE A SURPLUS BECAUSE YOU CLEARED OUR DEBT.
RIGHT?! ALL THE VEGGIES CAME FROM OUR LANDS!
MY CHILDHOOD PLAYGROUND!
OH! HERE, COME LOOK!

YOU'RE GOING TO BREAK THAT.
RUDE! I'M NOT THAT HEAVY!
ギィッ
CREAK
BUT MAYBE I WON'T SWING.
...
MY FATHER BUILT ALL THIS!
THE TABLE...
...AND THE SWING!
THIS BRINGS ME BACK!


LOOK ...
LISTEN ...
I USED TO PLAY HERE UNTIL SUNDOWN.

DO NOT GO ON THE SLIDE AT YOUR AGE.
WHY?
YOUR BUTT WILL GET STUCK.
RUDE!
SURE, THIS IS FOR KIDS, BUT MY BUTT'S NOT THAT BIG!
BEHOLD! I SHALL SLIDE PERFECTLY!
YOU FOOL!
すべりだいっ
WATCH THIS!

SQUEEEZE
グッ
ズルハラット
SLIIIDE
スー
SEE? NO PROB—
UGH...
WH-WHAT?
TOLD YOU.
STRUGGLE
キー
キー
STRUGGLE
キー
キー
I GOT STUCK AT THE VERY END!
PLEASE... HELP...
HON-ESTLY ...
Are You daft?
YOU...!

WHAT?
ぽっ
BLUSH
HUH?
FWAP
ばっ
EEEEEEEEEEEK!!!
M-M-MY PANTIIIES!

WHAT?
THIS FEELING...
D-DID YOU SEE THEM?
...SO FAMILIAR...
IT'S...

IT'S FINE.
YOU CAN STILL MARRY.
THOSE WORDS... I'VE HEARD THEM BEFORE...
!
AHHH!!!
NO!
I REMEMBER NOW! MY FIRST LOVE!
MY FIRST LOVE SAW MY PANTIES TOOOOO!!!

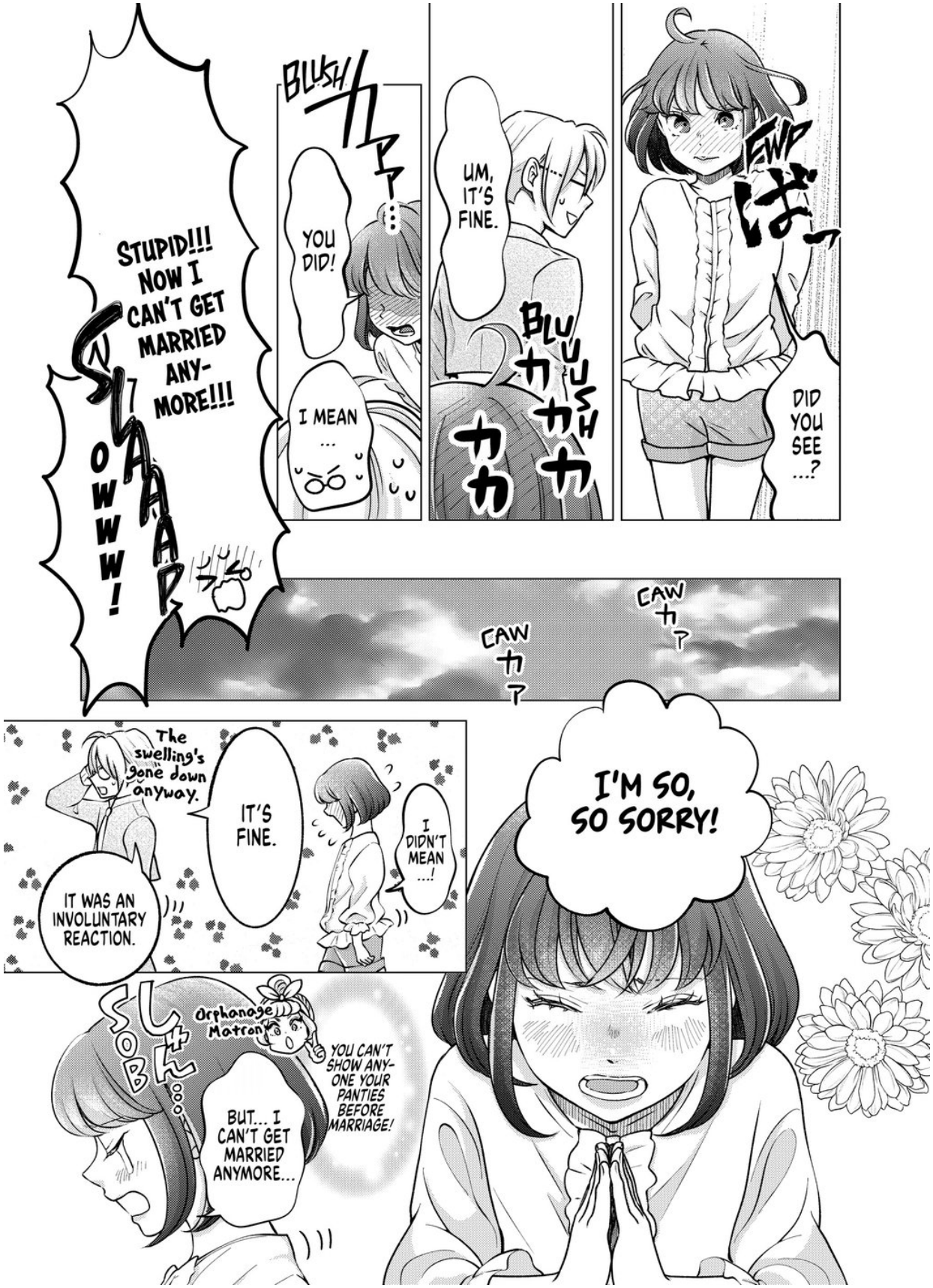
That's what she remem-bered?!
He saw my pantiiies!
NOOO!
AAAUGH!

NOOO!
MY PANTIES! HE SAW THEM!
I'LL NEVER GET MARRIED!
Chapter 45
12 YEARS AGO
I CAN'T BELIEVE THAT WAS YOUR FIRST TIME PLAYING TAG!
FUN, RIGHT?

"I DUNNO WHAT'S BUGGING YOU, BUT..."
"IF YOU DO STUFF, YOU WON'T HAVE TIME TO MOPE!"
...
YEAH...YOU WERE RIGHT.
HEY, HOW ABOUT THIS SLIDE?
EVER PLAYED ON ONE?
UM... NO.
NO WAY!

YOU'VE NEVER USED A SLIDE BEFORE?
No...
I'VE WATCHED MY SISTER DO IT, THOUGH.
YOU'RE SO WEIRD!
I'LL SHOW YOU, THEN! LOOK! WATCH ME!
OKAY.
NICE! HERE I GOOO!
ACK!!!
HUH?!

EEEEEEK!
HEY!
ARE YOU—
すてーん
THUD
UGH!
O-OW ...
I MESSED THAT UP...
Y-YOU OKAY?
YEAH! THANK—
!
ACK!
GULP
ギクリ
MY PANTIES!


FWP
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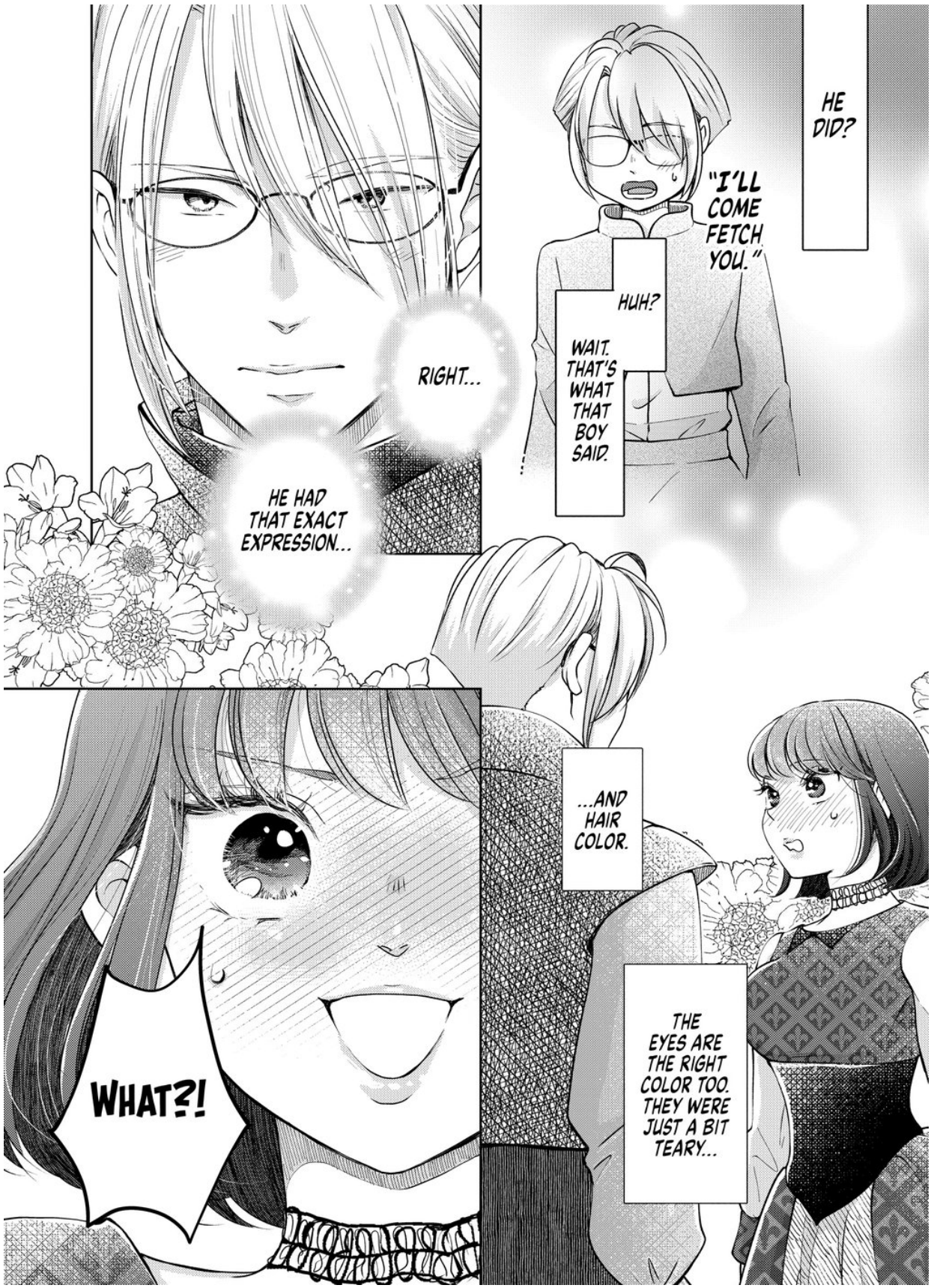
DID YOU SEE ...?
UM, IT'S FINE.
BLUUSH カカカカ
BLUSH カァ
YOU DID!
I MEAN ...
STUPID!!! NOW I CAN'T GET MARRIED ANY-MORE!!!
SLAAAP
OWWW!
CAW カァ
CAW カァ
I'M SO, SO SORRY!
I DIDN'T MEAN ...!
IT'S FINE.
The swelling's gone down anyway.
IT WAS AN INVOLUNTARY REACTION.
Orphanage Matron
YOU CAN'T SHOW ANY-ONE YOUR PANTIES BEFORE MARRIAGE!
BUT... I CAN'T GET MARRIED ANYMORE...
SOBん...

YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE SO DOWN.
ぐしぐしぐ
...
IF NO ONE WILL MARRY YOU...
I-IT'S GONNA BE OKAY!
HUH?
YOU CAN STILL MARRY!
IT'S COMPLETELY FINE!
...
FINE! FINER THAN FINE! THE FINEST!!!
I DUNNO ...
...
OKAY! THANK YOU!
I CAN'T JUST MOPE AROUND, RIGHT?

SOB
SOB
THAT WAS SOOO FUN!
SOB
SOB
SOB
SOB
STOP THIS ALREADY!
FWAP
NOOO! GIVE IT BACK!
NO!
A KID'S PANTIES ARE STILL PANTIES...
HE WOULDN'T! HE WAS A CHILD SEEING ANOTHER CHILD'S PANTIES!
MY BEAUTIFUL MEMORIES OF MY FIRST LOVE...
NO... I DIDN'T WANT TO REMEMBER THAT...
"I'LL COME FETCH YOU."
FADE
ぼや！…
MY FIRST-EVER PROPOSAL, RUINED...
THAT BOY MUST REMEMBER ME AS A TOTAL PERVERT!

I'VE SEEN YOU CRY A THOUSAND TIMES.
I DON'T WANT YOU TO SEE ME CRY! I LOOK HIDEOUS!
TUGU
Let me hiiide!
YOU BRUTE!
TUGU
TUGU
YOU COULD'VE AT LEAST SAID I LOOK GOOD EITHER WAY!
VRK!
PULL

STOP BEING STUPID AND NOTICE IT ALREADY!
"IT'S GONNA BE OKAY."
HUH?
"IF YOU CAN'T MARRY ANYMORE ...
...I'LL COME FETCH YOU."
WHAT?
I SAID THAT TO YOU, LONG AGO.


HE DID?
"I'LL COME FETCH YOU."
HUH?
WAIT. THAT'S WHAT THAT BOY SAID.
RIGHT...
HE HAD THAT EXACT EXPRESSION...
...AND HAIR COLOR.
THE EYES ARE THE RIGHT COLOR TOO. THEY WERE JUST A BIT TEARY...
WHAT?!

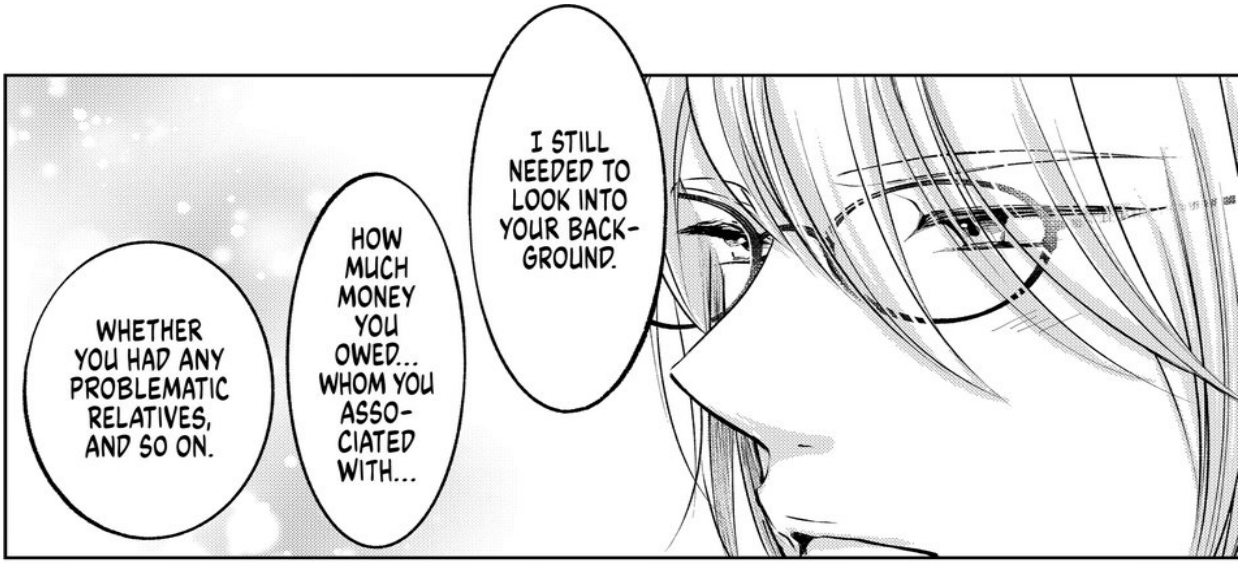
NADIR IS THAT BOY?!
WAIT JUST A SECOND!
WAIT. WHAT? HUH? WAIT, WAIT...
NO WAY! MY FIRST LOVE'S BEEN RIGHT HERE ALL ALONG AND NO ONE TOLD ME?!
MY HEAD'S SPINNING! I CAN'T THINK!
AUGH!
You SLOW, DULL WOMAN!!!

I BASICALLY CONFESSED TO HIM THAT HE'S MY FIRST LOVE!
...WHAT HAVE I BEEN SAYING?!
WAIT. ALL THIS TIME...
SWOON
NADIR IS THE BOY FROM MY MEMORIES!
SINCE WHEN?!
SINCE WHEN HAVE YOU KNOWN?!
OH NOOO-OOOO!
ガバァ
FWAP
CALM DOWN.

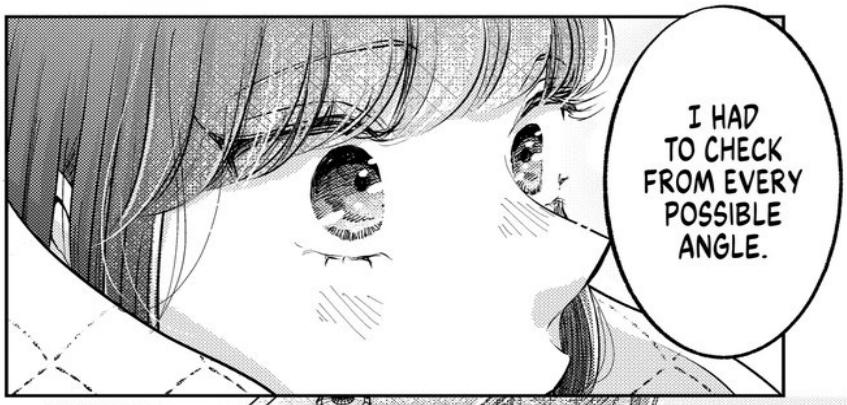
MY LEGS?!
WELL, SINCE...
...I SAW YOUR...LEGS.
WHEN?! WHERE?!
BEFORE TODAY?!
?!
YOU SHOWED THEM TO ME!
BOING
SAT ON HIM...?
GASP
YOU MEAN... WHEN LETICIA TRIED TO ESCAPE...?
WELL, YOU DID! BACK WHEN YOU SAT ON ME!
I WOULD NEVER DO SOMETHING SO INAP-PROPRIATE!

"A SHOTGUN MARRIAGE IS MY ONLY OPTION!"
?!
YES.
"IF YOU LET ME GO, I'LL GIVE YOU MY BROTHER'S HAND IN MARRIAGE!"
"DEAL!"
THAT NIGHT...!
OH NO...!
Does that matter?
THAT ONLY HAPPENED BECAUSE YOU SHOVED ME AND MY DRESS ROLLED UP!
But...!
BUT I DIDN'T SHOW THEM WILLINGLY!
"DOES HE HAVE A LEG FETISH?"
THAT'S RIGHT! HE SAW THEM!!!

BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP
WAIT, DIDN'T HE SAY SOMETHING ABOUT HOW I "NEVER USED" TO TALK A CERTAIN WAY?
"YOU NEVER USED TO SPEAK LIKE THIS."
I FULLY INTENDED TO PROTECT MY CHASTITY!
WAHHH!
YOU SAT ON ME! YOU WERE PLENTY INAPPRO-PRIATE!
FLUMP
"LORD NADIIIR!"
"DON'T COME BACK. IF YOU DO, I'M INFORMING YOUR PARENTS."
I WASN'T READY YET, AND YOU WERE BEING PUSHY, ALL RIGHT?!
YOU WEREN'T READY?
WELL...!
FWAP
BUT...YOU WERE COLD AS ICE TO ME!
I TRIED TO SEDUCE YOU AND EVERY-THING!


I STILL NEEDED TO LOOK INTO YOUR BACK-GROUND.
HOW MUCH MONEY YOU OWED... WHOM YOU ASSO-CIATED WITH...
WHETHER YOU HAD ANY PROBLEMATIC RELATIVES, AND SO ON.

Huuuh...
WAIT...HE LOOKED INTO MY BACK-GROUND?
How very dukely of him...


I HAD TO CHECK FROM EVERY POSSIBLE ANGLE.

ONCE I FIGURED OUT HOW TO DEAL WITH YOUR DEBT...
...AND I WAS SURE THERE WERE NO OTHER PROBLEMS, I VERY EVI-DENTLY WENT TO FETCH YOU.
"VERY EVIDENT-LY"...?
When did that happen...?
YOU WENT WITH LETICIA AND HIS HIGH-NESS ON THEIR HONEYMOON, NO?
THAT'S YOUR VERSION OF EVI-DENT?
IT'S JUST A TURN OF PHRASE.

EITHER WAY, EVER SINCE I FIRST REALIZED WHO YOU WERE...
...THAT WAS MY PLAN.
OH...
I STILL CAN'T BELIEVE MY FIRST LOVE IS RIGHT HERE!
How...
HOW COULD YOU TELL WHO I WAS FROM JUST MY LEGS?
I MEAN... EVEN THE MATRON FROM THE ORPHANAGE WHERE I GREW UP WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO TELL.
INDEED. YOU'D CHANGED SO MUCH, I COULDN'T RECOGNIZE YOU AT FIRST.
YOU WERE A TOMBOY. BARELY RESEMBLED A WOMAN. NOW LOOK AT YOU.
WELL, EXCUSE ME!
BUT ONE THING ABOUT YOU DIDN'T CHANGE AT ALL.
?

YOU HAVE THREE MOLES ON YOUR THIGH.
TAP
I HATE YOOOU!
ぽっちSLAAAP
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Chapter 46
I IMAGINED REUNITING WITH MY FIRST LOVE SO MANY TIMES.
SNORT フルルル
NEIGH ヒヒン
BUT I WANTED IT TO BE SOMETHING LIKE...
"I TOOK ONE LOOK AT YOU AND I KNEW," OKAY?!
HAD NO IDEA BEFORE BEING TOLD
HAD NO IDEA BEFORE SEEING THE MOLES ON HER LEG
KLAK カ
KLAK ガラ
Come again anytime!
KLAK カ
KLAK ガラ

IF LIFE WERE A NOVEL, THE WORLD WOULD BE BRIMMING WITH HAPPINESS.
OUCH ...
I MEAN, YOU'RE RIGHT, BUT...A GIRL CAN DREAM, OKAY?!
KLAK ガラ
KLAKKA ゴロ
SCREEE!!!
UGH. WOMEN.
THIS ISN'T A ROMANCE NOVEL!
Ideal reunion
Me? Absolutely not.
I TOOK ONE LOOK AT YOU AND I KNEW!
UGHHH!!
MY FIRST LOVE IS A JERK!!!
HAAH ...
...YOU ...?
YOU'RE SIGHING AGAIN!
SEE, THAT'S THE PROBLEM WITH...
THERE, THERE.

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PAT
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PAT
ぽん
IS THIS OKAY?
KLAK
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KLAKKA
グ
This carriage is so unsteady.
KLAKKA
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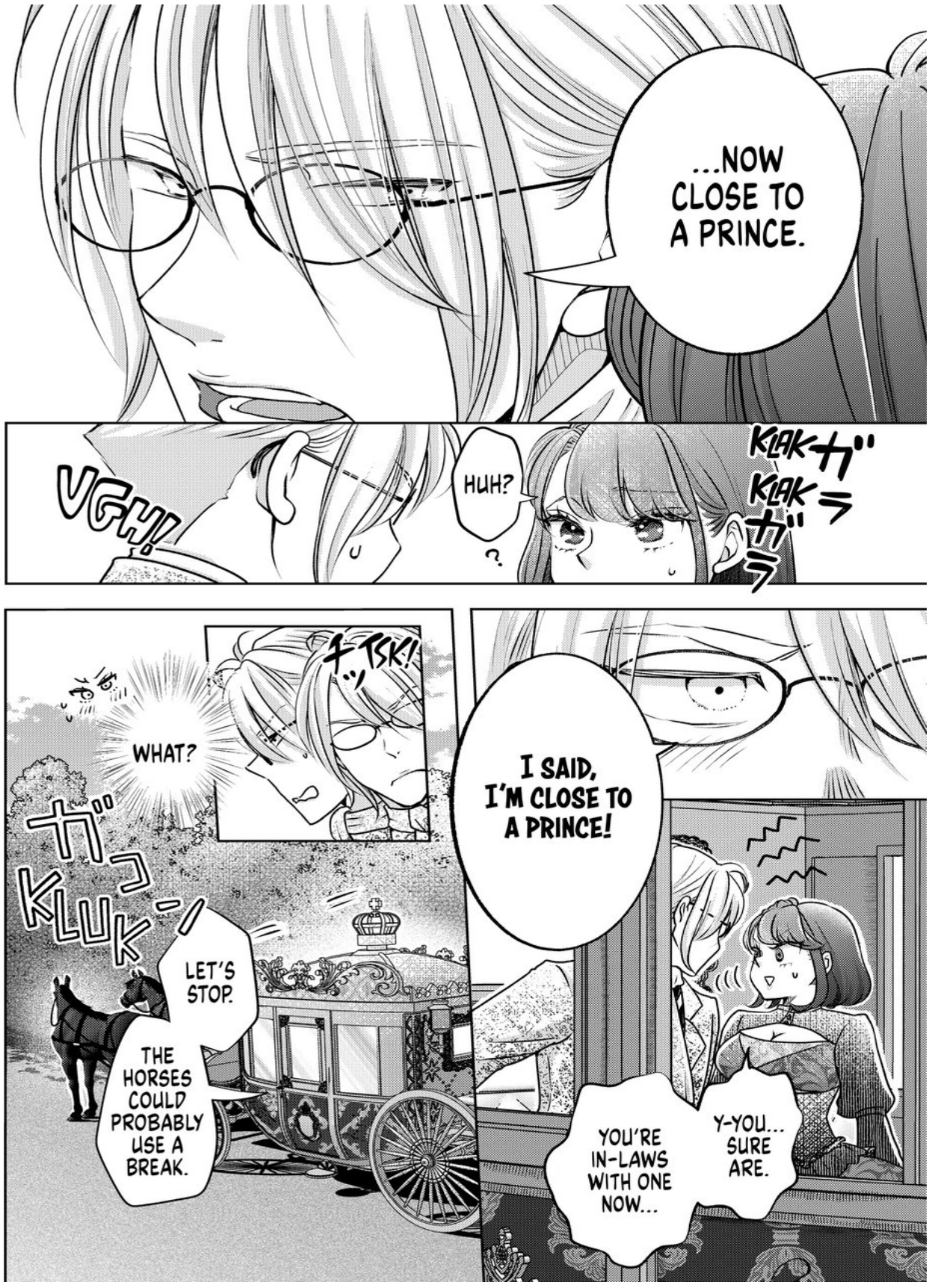
Y-YES.
S-SEE? YOU CAN BE NICE WHEN YOU WANT TO.
YOU'RE GRINNING EAR TO EAR.
BY THE WAY...
...I HAVE GOOD NEWS FOR YOU, FAIRY-TALE LOVER.
GOOD NEWS?
I'M...


...NOW CLOSE TO A PRINCE.
KLAK ガ KLAK ラ ガラ
HUH?
?
VGH!
I SAID, I'M CLOSE TO A PRINCE!
Y-YOU... SURE ARE.
YOU'RE IN-LAWS WITH ONE NOW...
チッ TSK!
WHAT?
ガコー KLUK
LET'S STOP.
THE HORSES COULD PROBABLY USE A BREAK.

WOW! THIS FEELS AMAZING!
FWOOSH そよそよ…
SADLY, SUCCESSION IN THIS COUNTRY IS HEREDITARY.
HUH? ARE WE STILL TALKING ABOUT THE PRINCE THING?
SHUT UP AND LISTEN.
WHILE TAKING OVER THE THRONE ISN'T OUT OF THE QUESTION...
HE'S VILLAIN MONO-LOGUING!
...IT WOULD BE TOO RISKY TO DO SO NOW, WHEN IT'S PEACEFUL AND THE PUBLIC IS CONTENT.
RIGHT... PEOPLE ARE ∪ HAPPY NOW...

HUH?
WAIT A SECOND.
IF PEOPLE WEREN'T HAPPY, HE'D HAVE STAGED A COUP?!
KING NADIR
THIS MAN IS TERRIFY-ING...!
SO... I DECIDED TO BECOME DIRECTLY CON-NECTED TO THE ROYAL FAMILY INSTEAD.
NOW THAT LETICIA IS MAR-RIED ...
...IF SHE HAS A CHILD WITH HIS HIGHNESS, THAT CHILD WILL RULE SOMEDAY.
UNCLE
SIBLINGS
NEXT RULER
PARENTS
Baby
YEAH...?
AND I'LL BE THE RULER'S UNCLE!
YOU... SURE WILL.
SO HOUSE DORMAN IS SECOND IN AUTHORITY ONLY TO THE ROYAL FAMILY...

GASP!!
GRR...
WH-WHAT'S HIS PROBLEM?
WHY ARE YOU SO OBSESSED WITH THE ROYAL FAMILY?
OH...
WAIT. WAAAIT.
NO. THAT CAN'T BE RIGHT.
BUT...I CAN'T THINK OF ANY OTHER REASON.
UM...
IS IT BECAUSE... I SAID I WANTED TO MARRY A PRINCE ...?

BLUSH
あっ
"IF I EVER GET MARRIED, I WANNA MARRY A PRINCE!"
"I REALLY LIKE PRINCES!"
BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP
I'M TAKING YOUR SILENCE AS A YES!
FWIP
...
GO AHEAD.

N-NO WAY.
BA-DUMP
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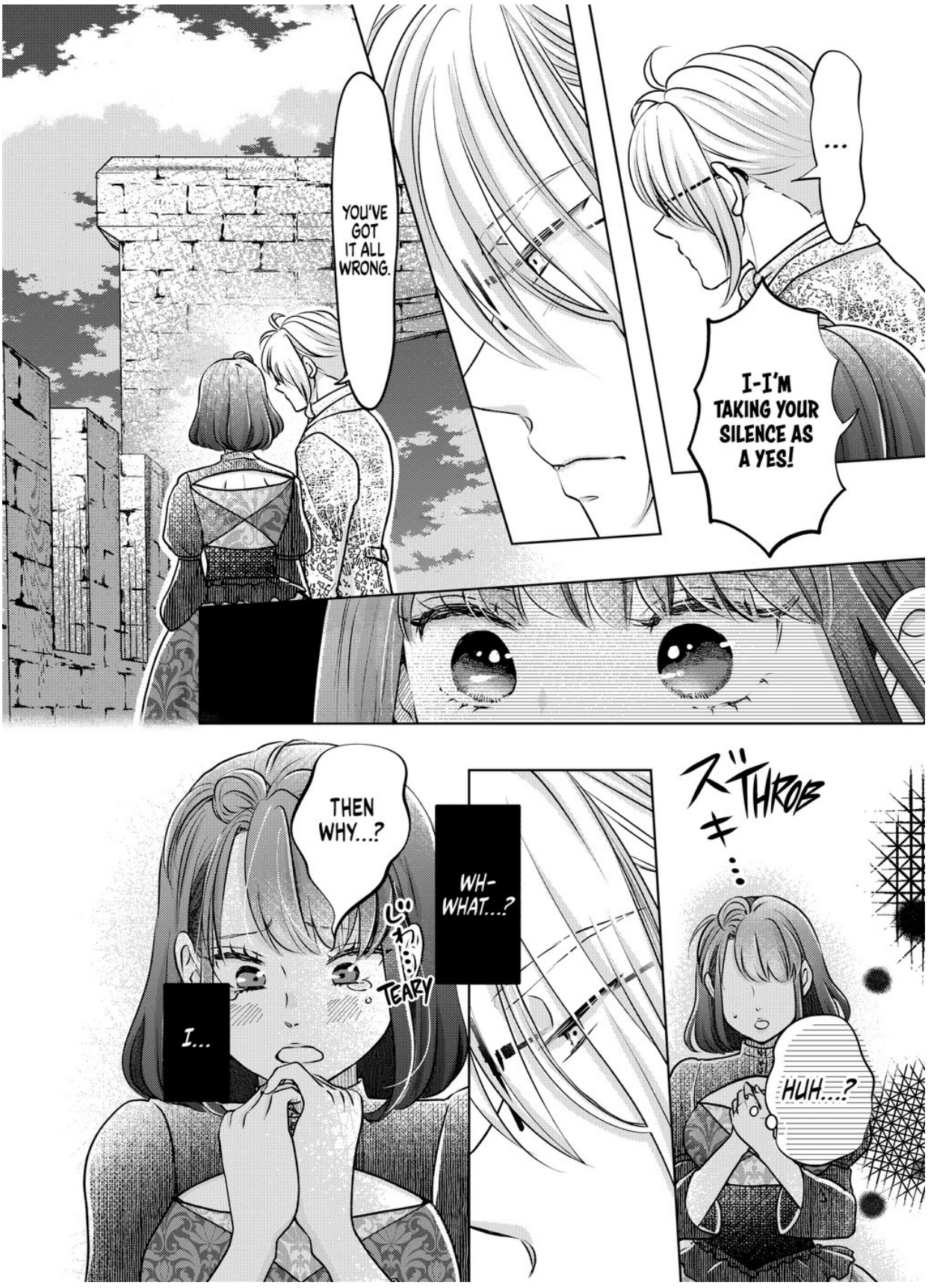
BA-DUMP
ドキン
THE WORDS OF A GIRL HE MET A SINGLE TIME 12 YEARS AGO...
...WERE ENOUGH TO SPARK HIS OBSESSION WITH POWER?
SO...
BA-DUMP
ドキン
...THAT MEANS ...
...Y-YOU ...
ドキン
BA-DUMP
...LOVED ME...?


...
I-I'M TAKING YOUR SILENCE AS A YES!
YOU'VE GOT IT ALL WRONG.
ズキ THROB...
HUH...?
WH-WHAT...?
THEN WHY...?
TEARY
I...

WHY AM I CRYING...?
DRIP
I... WANTED HIM...
...TO SAY IT.
"THAT'S RIGHT."
"I HAVE FEELINGS FOR YOU."
I'M...SO STUPID.
I'M STILL DREAMING...
...OF A FAIRY-TALE ENDING.
IT'S NOT THAT I "LOVED" YOU.

I STILL LOVE YOU.
DID HE JUST...
BA-DUMP
...SAY HE LOVES ME?
BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP

IS NADIR...
...ANXIOUS?
RIGHT... THIS EXPRES-SION...
THAT DAY, THAT BOY WAS HUDDLED UP...
...AND HE...
...WAS LOOKING AT ME.
B-DMP
ドッ
B-DMP
ドッ
I-I...!
B-DMP
ドッ
MY VOICE IS CRACKING!
BA-DMP
ドッ
ME, THOUGH...? WITH ALL THE DEBT...?

IT'S BEEN PAID OFF.
A-AND I'M SO FAR BELOW YOU IN RANK...
HOUSE DORMAN BELIEVES IN MARRY-ING FOR LOVE.
AND I'M NOT PRETTY!
YOU ARE TO ME.

YOU...
...THINK
...
...I'M PRETTY?

YOU'RE BEAUTIFUL.
I... I LOVE YOU TOO.

WHAT'S THIS MAN'S PROBLEM?
HE'S NEVER SAID ANYTHING LIKE THAT BEFORE!
HE CALLED ME BEAUTI-FUL.
Chapter 47

SOB
KLAK
HOW CAN I NOT...
...FALL FOR HIM?
NYO FAAAIW! (NO FAIR!)
KLAK
KLAK
KLAK
RIGHT...
IN THAT CASE...
I'LL DO SOMETHING EVEN LESS FAIR.
KLAKKA
KLAKKA
FSH
HUH...?
?

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TA-DA!
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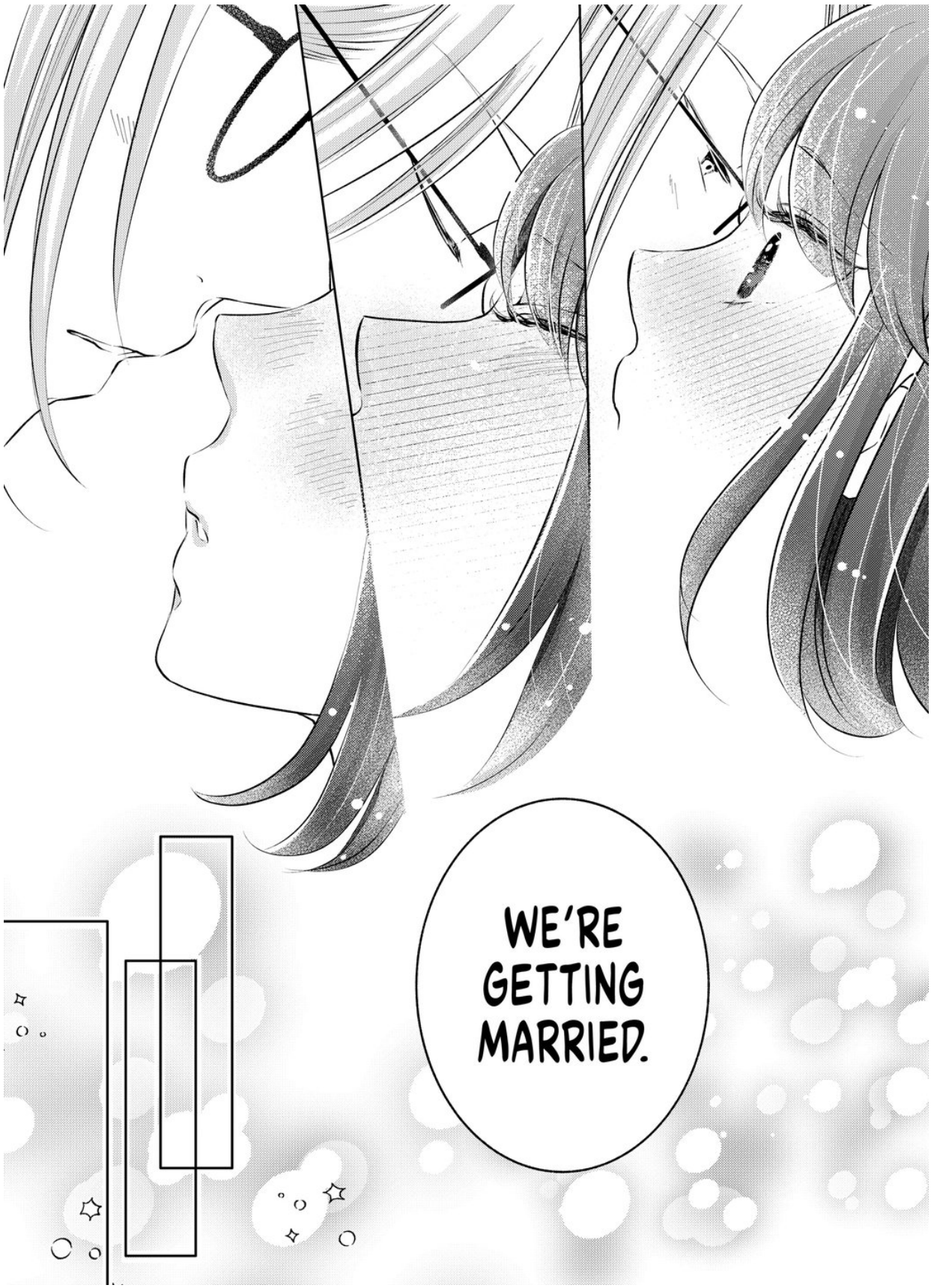
ピカ
WOOOOOOW!
IT'S SO SPARKLY...!
DIZZY
クラ...
TH-THE GEM...
...IS HUGE!
YOU DESERVE IT.

PLUNGE
IT'S SO HEAVY!!! THIS IS TOO MUCH FOR ME!
WHY?
HMPH.
WHAT DO YOU MEAN, "WHY"?!
HARRUMPH.
I HAD IT CUSTOM-MADE JUST TO MAKE YOU HAPPY.

OH...
THIS IS HOW HE SHOWS LOVE...
I'VE NEVER FELT SO HAPPY.
HOW DOES IT LOOK?

NO MORE PRETEND-ING...
...TO BE ENGAGED.
FSH
サラ…


WE'RE GETTING MARRIED.

THE NEXT DAY
HE...
HE KISSED ME!!!
First Kiss
B-DMP
B-DMP
B-DMP
IT JUST KEEPS ...
...POPPING BACK INTO MY HEAD!
IT WAS SO SOFT AND SQUISHY!
What's with her?
Just leave it be.
Honestly!

THINGS MOVED QUICKLY AFTER THAT.
WE BOOKED A DATE WITH THE CHURCH ...
...AND TOOK MEASUREMENTS FOR MY DRESS.
NOW WE'RE GOING TO VISIT MY PARENTS.
WHAT?!
WE'LL ARRIVE SHORTLY.
WAIT! I'M NOT MENTALLY READY YET...!
NOOO! A DUCAL FAMILYYY! (SOB)
LOTS OF PEOPLE
...
JOLT
KLAK
ガラ
ゴロ

OH...
HEH...
GRIN
RIGHT... I'M OKAY NOW.
M-M-M-MARRIAGE?!

EEK! FLINCH
WHAT DO YOU MEAN, FATHER?
LADY BRIANNA! ARE YOU OUT OF YOUR MIND?!
OH! OH MY! ♡
I MEAN, WE KNEW ABOUT THE ENGAGE-MENT, BUT...
DID HE BLACKMAIL YOU?!
THIS IS IMPORT-ANT!
TAP
IT'S THE SAME THING ABEL SAID, BUT IN REVERSE...

DON'T WORRY.
I WELL AND TRULY LOVE YOUR SON.
STOP INSISTING, FATHER!
WHAAAT? REALLY ...?
I'M SO SORRY ABOUT MY HUSBAND, LADY BRIANNA.
O-OH, IT'S QUITE ALL RIGHT ...
NADIR IS ALWAYS SCOLDING HIM, SO HE'S GROWN QUITE TIMID.
BUT DEEP DOWN, HE KNOWS IT'S HIS OWN FAULT.
WHAAAT ...? SHELLY ...
HE DOESN'T FEEL LIKE THE HEAD OF THE FAMILY...

NADIR HAS MANAGED OUR NOBLE HOUSE'S AFFAIRS SINCE HE WAS A CHILD.
HE'S NOT VERY RELIABLE, YOU SEE.
ALTHOUGH I WISH I COULD'VE HELPED MORE...
...SADLY, I LACK THE KNOWLEDGE AND THE TALENT FOR IT.
I DID MY BEST WITH SOCIALIZING, BUT...
...I FEEL BAD THAT NADIR HAD TO CARRY THE REST.
YES... I KNOW I'M AT FAULT HERE.
I GREW UP SPOILED, NOT KNOWING HOW USELESS I WAS UNTIL I HAD TO TAKE OVER.
I'VE PUT YOU THROUGH MUCH, MY SON.
YOU HAVE. YOU HAVE INDEED.
URK...
I WAS VERY WORRIED.

HE HAD TO GROW UP FAR TOO QUICKLY ...
...AND CAME TO SEE RELATIONSHIPS AS TRANSACTIONAL.
I'M SO HAPPY I COULD BURST!
BUT NOW...
...HE'S BROUGHT HOME A LOVELY BRIDE!
Well done, son!!!
THAT'S WONDERFUL NEWS!
SOCIAL BUTTERFLY
OF COURSE. I'D BE HAPPY TO.
THOUGH... I WOULD LOVE IT IF YOU WOULD VISIT ONCE IN A WHILE.
DON'T WORRY. WE WON'T LIVE IN THE MAIN ESTATE WITH YOU.
THINK OF US AS IN-LAWS WHO RESIDE FAR AWAY.

U-UM...
I'D LOVE TO ACCOM-PANY YOU TO THE TAILOR.
I'LL...
OH! WHAT ABOUT YOUR WEDDING DRESS?
...BE HANDLING EVERY LAST DETAIL. WORRY NOT.
ズイ…
LOOM…
OH MY!
ALWAYS WANT-ING TO CONTROL EVERY-THING!
I NEVER THOUGHT HE'D BE THE TYPE TO GROW OVERLY ATTACHED TO ANYONE, YET HERE WE ARE!
HUH?!
MOTHER!
OH DEAR! AH HA HA! MY APOLO-GIES.
IS HE BLUSH-ING? DID SHE HIT THE MARK?
UGH!
WE'RE LEAVING!
No-dic
HUH?! SO SOON?!
Dad

See you soon, Brianna!
KLAK ガラガラ KLAK
Bye.
A-ARE YOU SURE?
I'm tired.
WE STILL HAVE A MOUNTAIN OF THINGS THAT NEED DOING.
AW... HE'S ALWAYS SO EFFICIENT... OR...IMPA-TIENT.
KLAK ガラ
-pressured the church and everything...!
YOU'VE EVEN SCHED-ULED THE CEREMONY FOR THE EARLIEST DATE.
OF COURSE I DID.
THAT WAY, YOU CAN SLEEP IN MY CHAMBERS ...

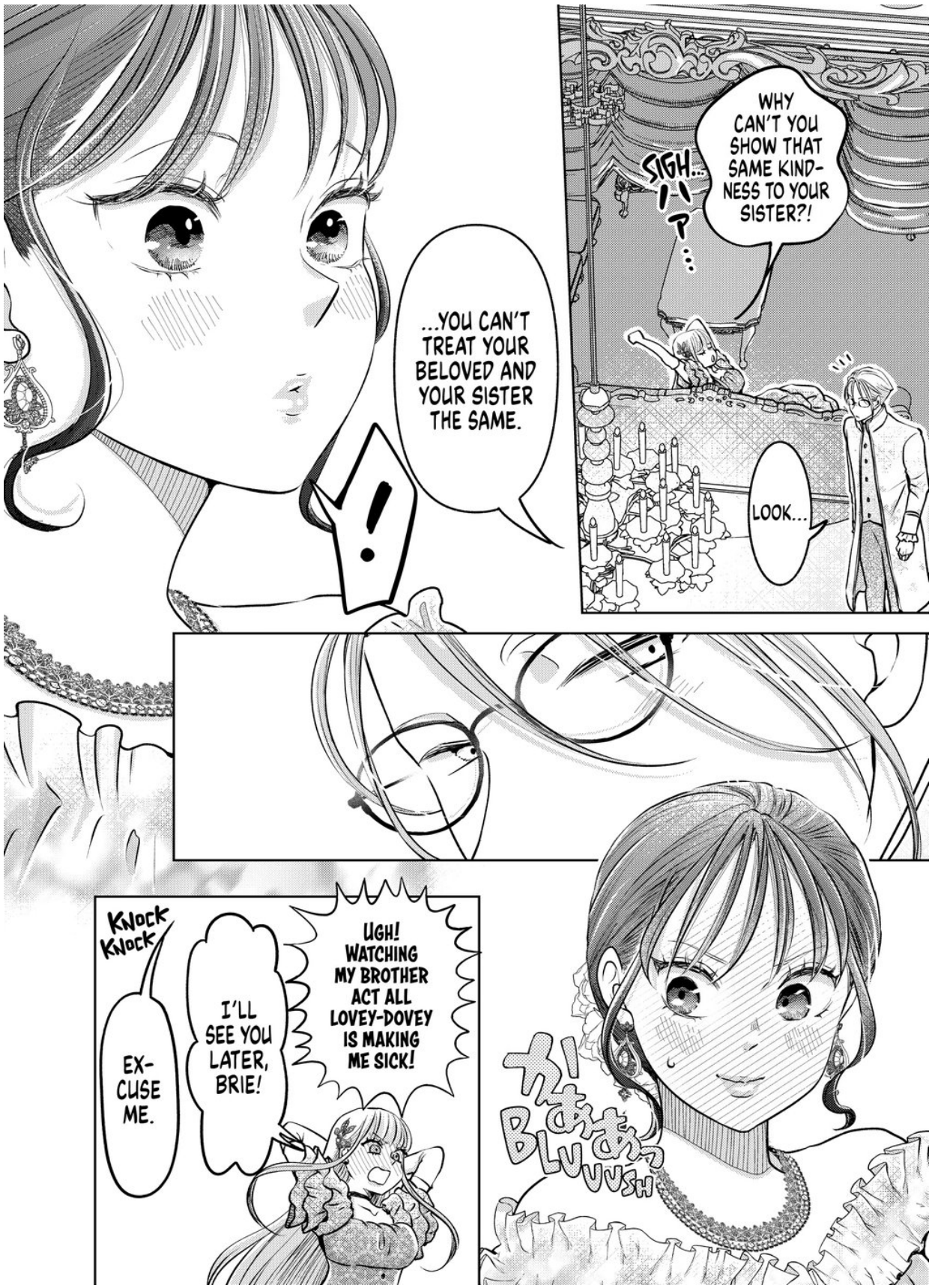
...AND USE MY ARM AS A PILLOW EVERY DAY.
P-PERVERT!
YEAH? YOU'RE GRINNING LIKE AN IDIOT, THOUGH.
SCREE!!!
ガラ KLAK ガラ KLAK ガラ KLAK
THE NEXT DAY
WHAAAT?! THEY'RE GETTING MARRIED?! BRIE NEVER SAID A WORD OF THIS TO ME!

I'll be handling every last detail! Worry not!
Let's go toge—
What about your dress?!

Chapter 48
I KNOW I KEEP ASKING, BUT...
...WHY DO YOU EVEN LIKE MY BROTHER?
YOU'RE ASKING THAT ON OUR WEDDING DAY?!

I MEAN, I DON'T GET IT!
I DON'T LIKE HOW HE WENT ABOUT IT!
HE MADE YOU WORK AS A LIVE-IN MAID...
...JUST TO GET YOU TO BE ATTRACTED TO HIM!
BLUSH
HE EVEN MADE YOU BATHE AND DRESS HIM, RIGHT?
THERE WAS NO BATHING INVOLVED!
CRAP!
SO HE DID MAKE YOU DRESS HIM!
YOU WERE HIS FIRST LOVE, HUH ...?
I DID THINK IT WAS WEIRD HE NEVER GOT ENGAGED.
BUT ALSO...!

HE FORCED ME INTO AN ARRANGED MARRIAGE!
YOU'RE STILL GOING ON ABOUT ∪ THAT ∪...?
KER-CHAK
ガチャ
BUT YOU LOVE YOUR HUSBAND, DON'T YOU? IT WORKED OUT.
!
BROTHER!
BA-DUMP
YOU'RE NOT SUPPOSED TO SEE THE BRIDE BEFORE THE WEDDING! SHE'LL RUN AWAY!
DON'T MAKE UP NONSENSICAL SUPERSTITIONS.
THERE'S ANOTHER REASON I HAD HER WORK FOR ME AS A MAID.
I WANTED HER TO KNOW HOW TO RUN THE HOUSEHOLD SMOOTHLY SO SHE COULD TAKE OVER AS LADY OF THE HOUSE LATER.

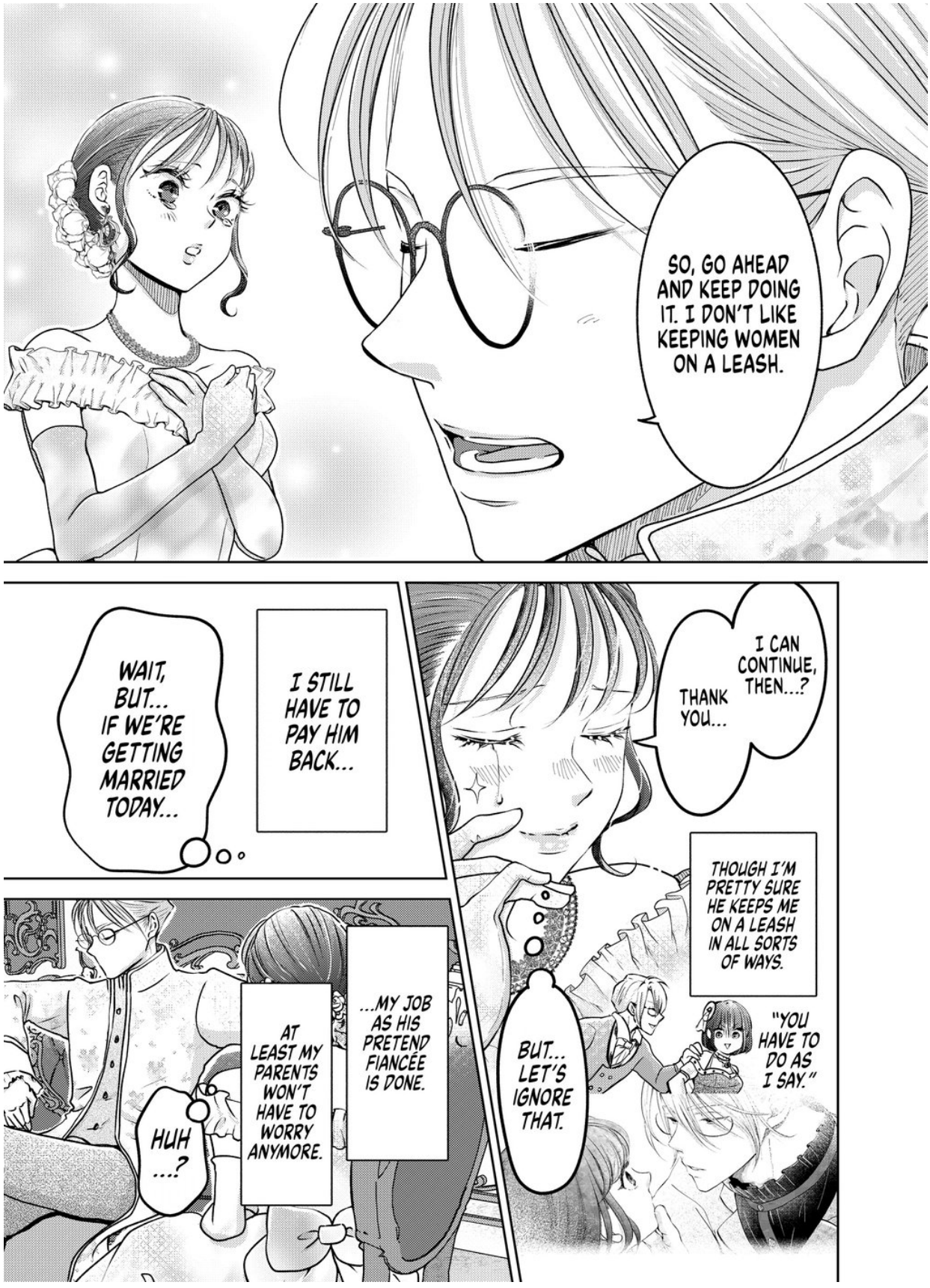

WHY CAN'T YOU SHOW THAT SAME KINDNESS TO YOUR SISTER?!
SIGH...
LOOK...
...YOU CAN'T TREAT YOUR BELOVED AND YOUR SISTER THE SAME.
!
KNOCK KNOCK
EXCUSE ME.
I'LL SEE YOU LATER, BRIE!
UGH! WATCHING MY BROTHER ACT ALL LOVEY-DOVEY IS MAKING ME SICK!
カ!
BLUUUSH

...!
SMILE
ニコッ
HELLO.
ほわぁ〜…っ
WoooW...
Y-YOUR HIGHNESS ...!
Hmm?
YOU TWO ARE DEFINITELY SIBLINGS...
THE WAY SHE CAN JUST FLIP ON THE ELE-GANCE SWITCH IS SOMETHING ELSE.
HEY...
...ARE YOU IN LOVE WITH ME?

I'VE ALWAYS BEEN.
SMIRK
R-RIGHT, THERE WAS SOMETHING I WANTED TO ASK...
WHAT IS IT?
CAN I... KEEP RUNNING MY BUSINESS?
HM? BUT THE DEBT'S GONE.
WELL, YES, BUT...IT WAS ALSO A HOBBY TO ME.
I NEVER REALLY MADE ENOUGH TO PAY MORE THAN JUST THE INTEREST.

I WANT TO KEEP AT IT, BUT NOBLE-MEN'S WIVES DON'T REALLY DO BUSINESS, DO THEY?
BUT I LIKED DOING IT...
I DON'T SEE AN ISSUE. GO AHEAD.
I DON'T WANT TO CAUSE PROB-LEMS.
THERE ARE NO RULES THAT STATE A NOBLE'S WIFE CAN'T WORK.
YES. DO AS YOU PLEASE.
HUH? ARE YOU SURE?
UM, BUT...WON'T PEOPLE TALK BEHIND YOUR BACK?
THAT'S WHAT LETICIA IS FOR.

HUH...? LETICIA?
INSTEAD OF SELLING TO JUST ABOUT ANYONE...
...YOU SHOULD TRY CATERING TO LETICIA AND OTHER NOBLES FOR NOW.
START WITH JUST LETICIA.
DESPITE EVERYTHING, SHE'S THE CROWN PRINCESS AND PEOPLE LOVE HER.
BECOME HER FAVORITE SUPPLIER...
...AND YOU'LL BUILD TRUST AND ATTRACT MORE CUSTOMERS NATURALLY.
YOU'RE RIGHT! LETICIA IS VERY IN-FLUENTIAL, NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT!
YOU REALLY ARE SMART, NADIR...
NADIR ...


SO, GO AHEAD AND KEEP DOING IT. I DON'T LIKE KEEPING WOMEN ON A LEASH.
THANK YOU...
I CAN CONTINUE, THEN...?
THOUGH I'M PRETTY SURE HE KEEPS ME ON A LEASH IN ALL SORTS OF WAYS.
"YOU HAVE TO DO AS I SAY."
BUT... LET'S IGNORE THAT.
I STILL HAVE TO PAY HIM BACK...
WAIT, BUT... IF WE'RE GETTING MARRIED TODAY...
...MY JOB AS HIS PRETEND FIANCÉE IS DONE.
AT LEAST MY PARENTS WON'T HAVE TO WORRY ANYMORE.
HUH ...?

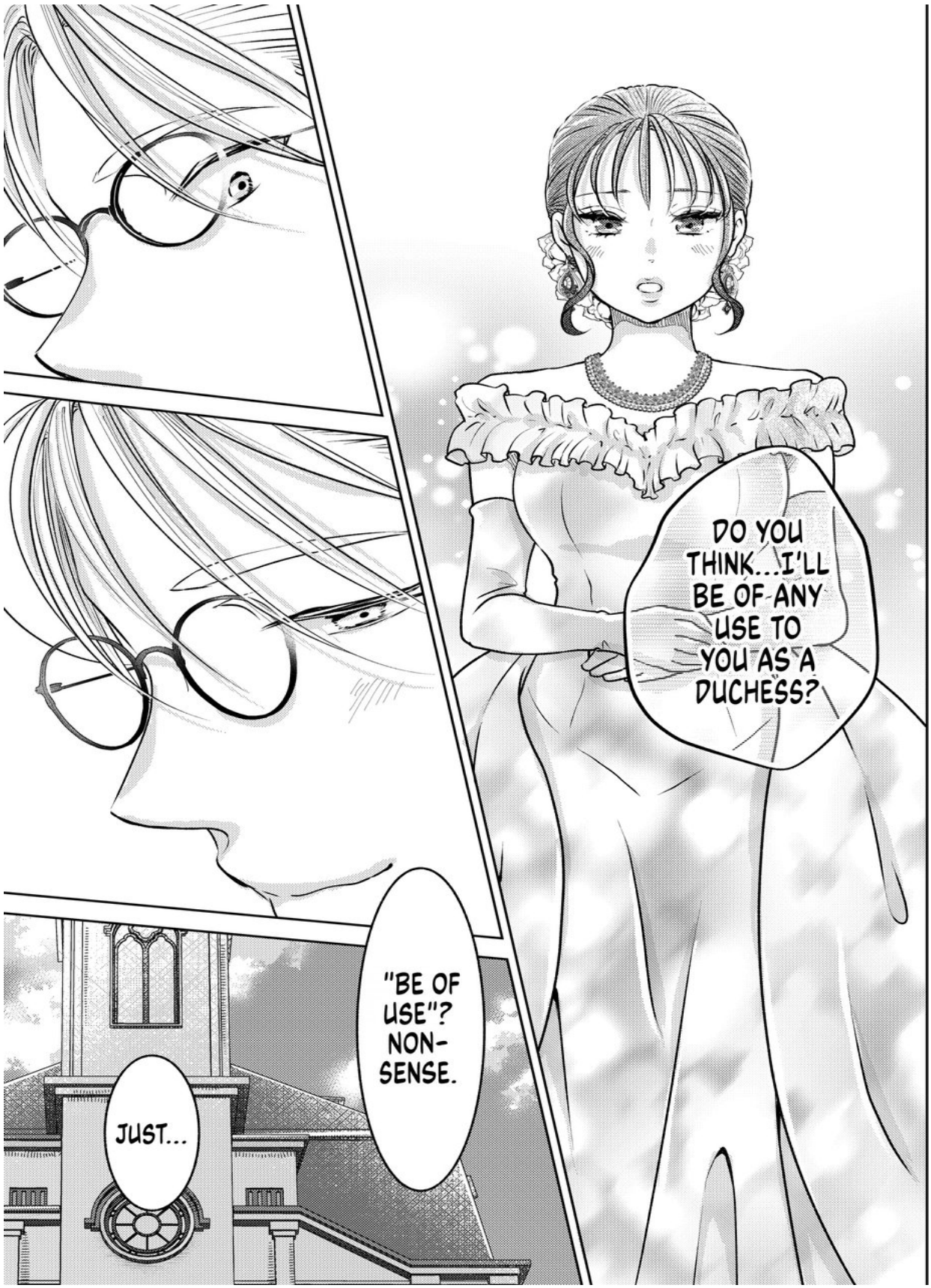
HEY... WHAT ABOUT MY JOB AS A MAID?
?
YOU'LL BE THE LADY OF THE HOUSE. YOU DON'T NEED TO BE A MAID.
...
HOW AM I SUPPOSED TO PAY YOU BACK, THEN?!
YOU'RE ASKING THAT NOW? ON OUR WEDDING DAY?
I MEAN... NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT, YOU'RE NOT REALLY GETTING ANYTHING OUT OF THIS.
MEAN-WHILE, I'VE GAINED A LOT AND HAD FUN ON OUR DATES.
I'M EVEN GETTING MARRIED! I'D GIVEN UP ON THAT AL-READY.
TELL ME! WHAT CAN I DO FOR YOU?!

I WANT TO THANK YOU! I'LL DO ANYTHING!
LET ME GIVE YOU SOME ADVICE.
NEVER TELL A MAN YOU'LL "DO ANYTHING" FOR HIM.
HUH?
WHAT?!
YOU...
...DO REALIZE THIS WILL BE OUR FIRST NIGHT TOGETHER, RIGHT?

I JUST WANTED TO THANK YOU, THOUGH.
WHAT DO YOU EVEN WANT? I DON'T GET IT.
SOME MEN WILL TAKE THAT KIND OF OFFER VERY LITERALLY.
OKAY?
SO...DON'T JUST SAY THAT SO CASUALLY ANYMORE.
UM... OKAY...
WAIT...
YOU HAVEN'T MADE THAT OFFER TO ANYONE ELSE, HAVE YOU?!
N-NO, I HAVEN'T!

WELL... HE'S TOO STUPID TO REALLY GET WHAT THAT WOULD MEAN, SO IT'D BE FINE EITHER WAY...
BUT I HATE THE IDEA OF YOU SAYING THAT TO ANOTHER MAN!
?
WHY BEN OF ALL PEO-PLE?!
ARE YOU SURE?! NOT TO BEN OR ANYONE?!
I HAVEN'T SAID IT TO ANYONE ELSE, OKAY?! JUST YOU!

KNOCK
KNOCK
IT'S TIME, MY LADY.
AH! YES!
THERE'S A FULLNESS IN MY CHEST...
Your chest?
NOT YOUR STOMACH?
YES, JUST ...
HEY... ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
NOW, THEN...TO MAKE OUR VOWS BEFORE THE PRIEST.
UM... NADIR?
YES...

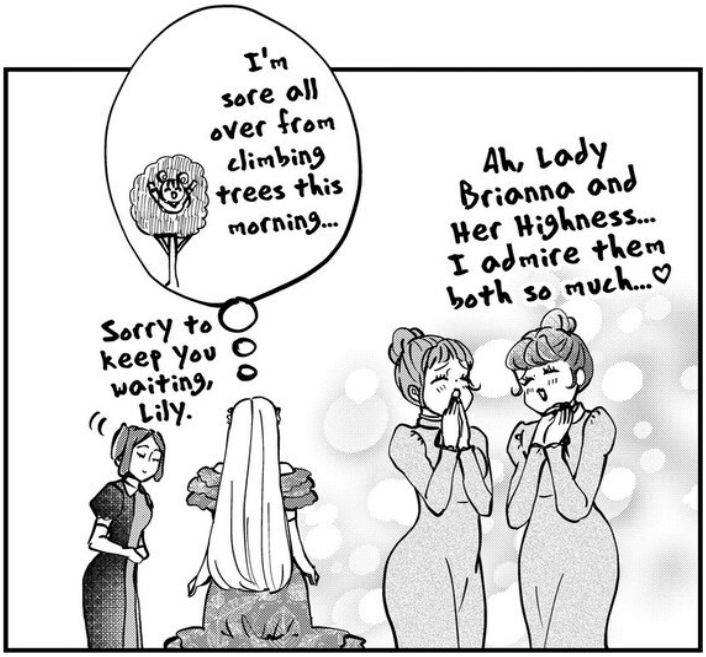

DO YOU THINK...I'LL BE OF ANY USE TO YOU AS A DUCHESS?
"BE OF USE"? NON-SENSE.
JUST...

...BE EXACTLY WHO YOU ARE.
I'M GLAD I GET TO WALK THROUGH LIFE...
...WITH YOU BESIDE ME.

LEAVE IT TO ME!
IF WE'RE DOING THIS...
...I'D RATHER WE HAVE EACH OTHER'S BACKS.
MY FAMILY FELL INTO DEBT...
...AND I EVEN GOT ROPED INTO PRINCESS LESSONS FOR A BIT.
SO MUCH HAS HAP-PENED.
BUT I'D DO IT ALL OVER AGAIN.

I'LL MAKE SURE THAT, IN THE END, I CAN PROUDLY SAY I'VE LIVED A GOOD LIFE...

...BY YOUR SIDE.


I'm sore all over from climbing trees this morning...
Sorry to keep you waiting, Lily.
Ah, Lady Brianna and Her Highness... I admire them both so much...♡

KLAKKA ガラガラ
KLAKKA ガラガラ
WE'VE ARRIVED AT THE ESTATE...
IT'S THE FUTURE DUKE AND DUCHESS!
LADY BRIANNA!
EVERYONE'S SHOWERING US IN WELL-WISHES.
WHAT A RADIANT, OVER-WHELMING DAY.
Chapter 49

Lord Nadiiir!
CONGRAT-ULATIONS!
CONGRAT-ULATIONS, NADIR...
...AND BRIANNA!
CONGRAT-ULATIONS!
WHISPER コソッ
WE'RE FAMILY NOW.
Y-
YOUR HIGH-NESS!

THIS PLACE FEELS UNUSUALLY QUIET...
HUH...?

WELCOME BACK, LORD NADIR.
MISTRESS.
!
TODAY, ONLY MINIMAL STAFF...
...AND SECURITY PERSONNEL ARE ON DUTY.
MY THANKS.
BA-DUMP ドキ
BA-DUMP ドキ
BA-DUMP ドキ
Mistress...
I'LL GO TAKE A BATH.
BRING A LIGHT MEAL TO OUR CHAMBERS, AND THEN YOU MAY RETIRE FOR THE NIGHT.
YES, MY LORD.
BA-DUMP ドキッ
THIS WAY, MISTRESS.

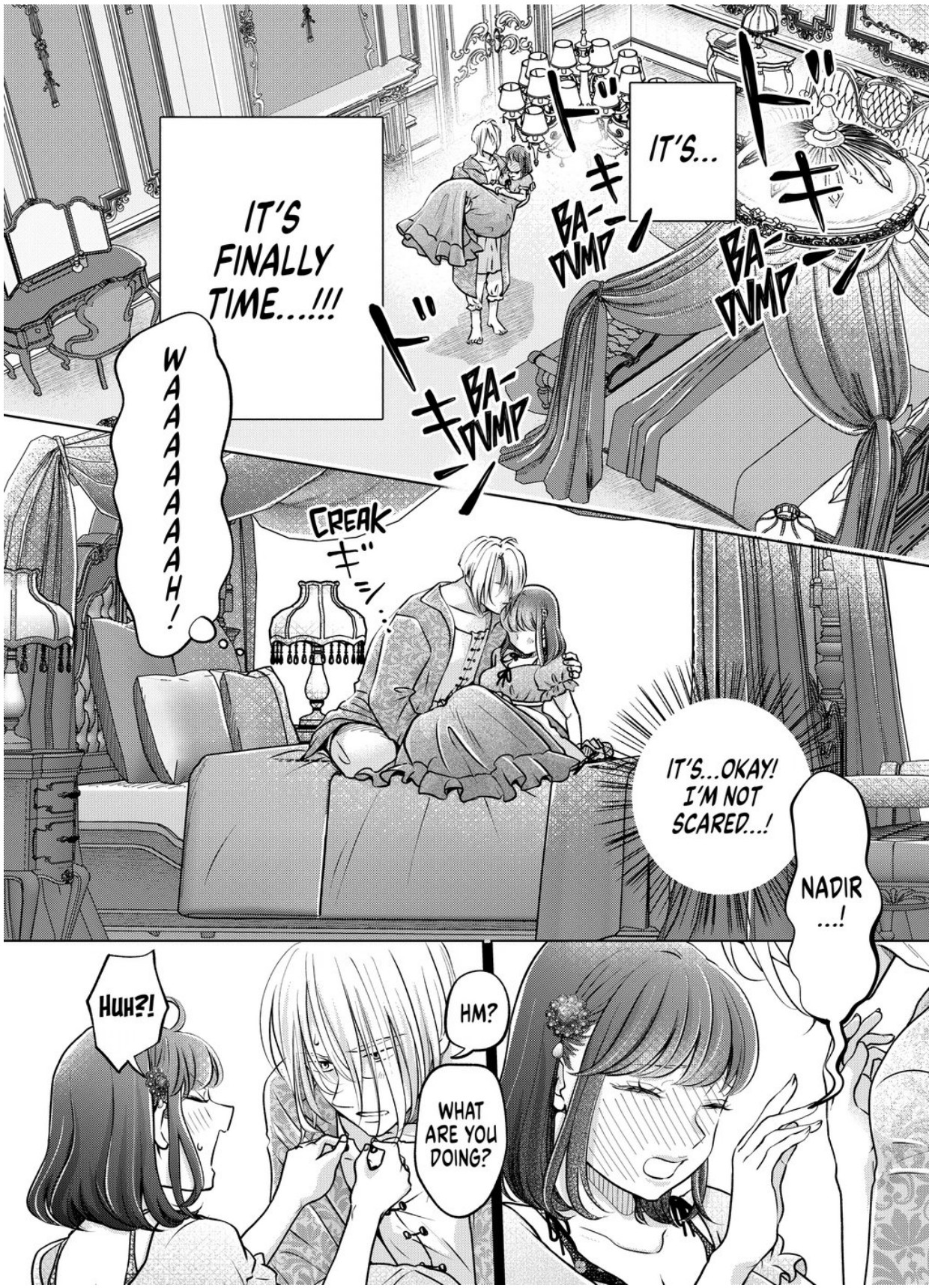
BA-DUMP
ドキン
BA-DUMP
ドキン
BA-DUMP
ドキン
THAT WAY, YOU CAN SLEEP IN MY CHAMBERS.
THIS SETUP...
チャプ
SPLASH
...IS SO ROMANTIC.
IT SEEMS WE'RE...
...ABOUT TO HAVE OUR FIRST NIGHT TOGETHER!
WELL, I HAVE BEEN GETTING THAT VIBE FROM NADIR.
I'm not as nice as the prince.
FIRST NIGHT: ON HOLD

FSHHH
WHEW...
ガチャッ
KER-CHAK
!
SHE'S NOT HERE ...
がら
CRICKETS
ん...

I CAN DO THIS!
BUT... LATER!
SWP SWP
JUST A BIT TO GO!
I WAS HOPING TO FINISH IT BY TONIGHT, BUT...
KNOCK KNOCK
BRIANNA... MAY I COME IN?
BA-DUUMP
AH! WAIT ...!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
ACK!
OH... I-I'M...
UM...
WHAT? YOU'RE ACTING ODD.

RUSTLE
ゴソ…
IT'S A SCARF …
A SCARF?
F-FOR YOU.
I WANTED TO THANK YOU FOR PAYING OFF MY DEBT, SO…
…I'VE BEEN KNITTING THIS IN MY FREE TIME. IT'S NOT QUITE FINISHED YET.
F-FOR ME…?!

YES! I THOUGHT A SOFT IVORY COLOR WOULD SUIT YOU. LOOK!
IT'S HANDMADE, SO IT'S NOT SUPER HIGH QUALITY, BUT...
WELL, I THINK IT TURNED OUT PRETTY GOOD!
Do...
DO YOU NOT LIKE IT?
I SAID NO SUCH THING! IT'S WONDERFUL!
WHEW!
THANK GOOD-NESS!
Mind the nee-dles!
BUT IT'S STILL NOT ENOUGH TO PAY YOU BACK FOR—
WAH!
WE'RE GOING TO OUR CHAM-BERS.


IT'S...
IT'S FINALLY TIME...!!!
WAAAAAAAAH!
CREAK
IT'S...OKAY! I'M NOT SCARED...!
NADIR ...!
HUH?!
HM?
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

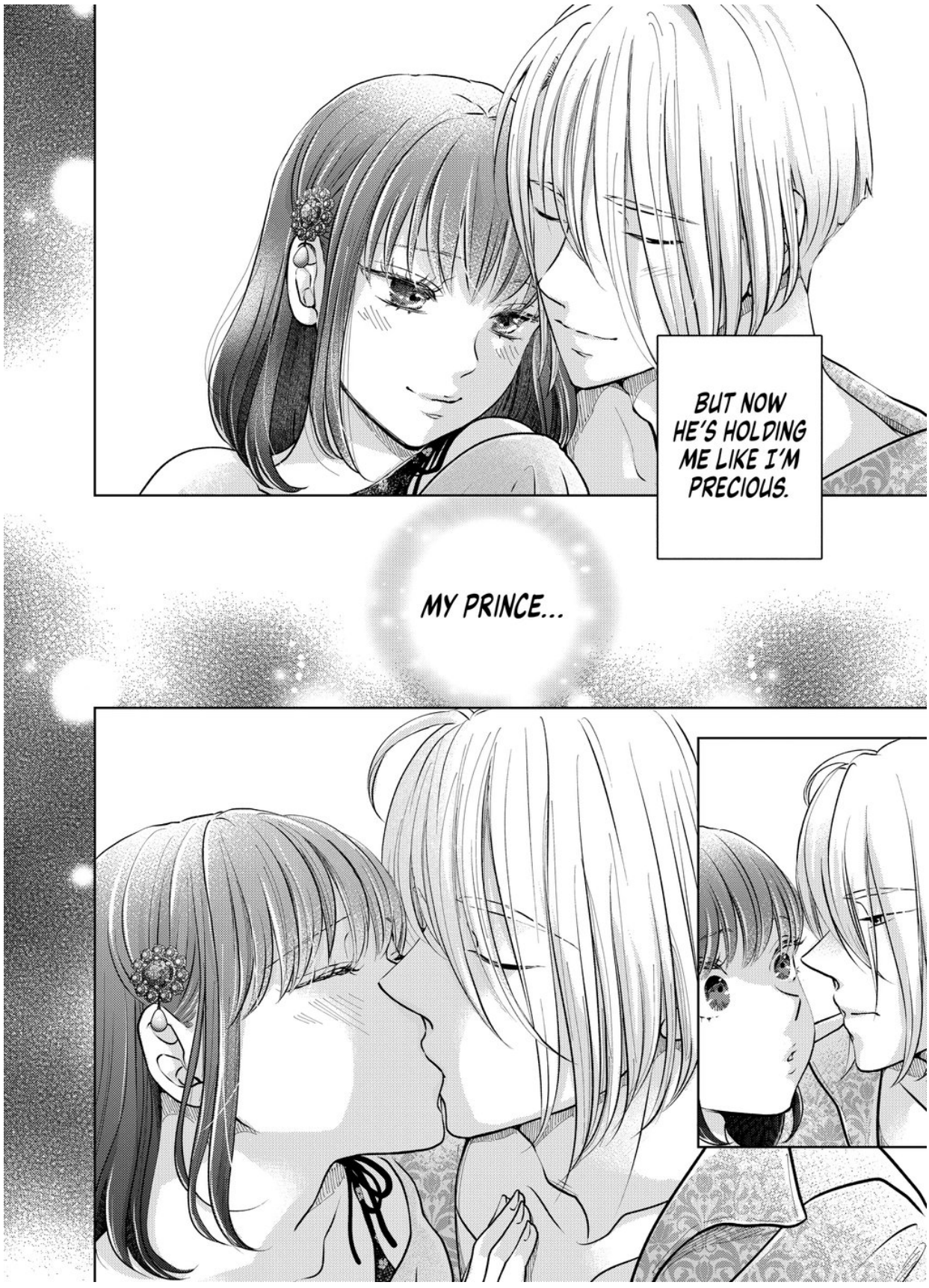
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
I'M TAKING OFF YOUR CLOTHES!
YOU...
SLUMP
I MEAN...WE NEED TO UNDRESS IF WE'RE TO BE...J-JOINED.
I helped you undress as your maid all the time!
IS SOMETHING WRONG?!
FROM TONIGHT ON, I'LL UNDRESS YOU.
SLIP
AH! NADI—
EEEEEEK!

FWIP
FSH
BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP
FLINCH
BRIAN-NA...
BA-DUMP

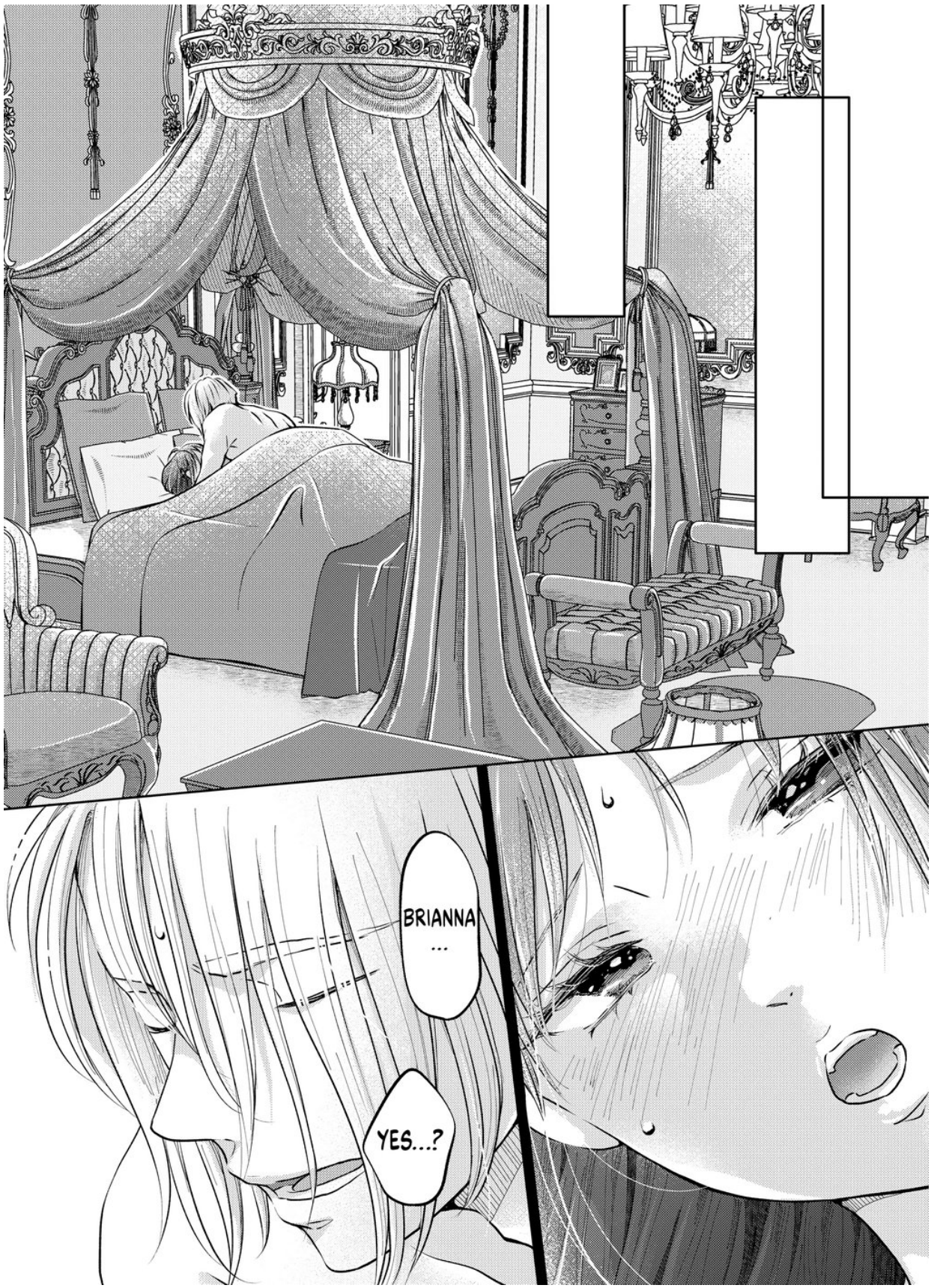
...
ARE YOU SCARED?
N—
NO! I'M OKAY!
IT'S OKAY...
SIGH...
CREAK
HUH ...?
EARLIER... BEFORE THE CEREMONY.
YOU SAID YOU'D DO ANYTHING. REMEMBER?
HUH?!

I-I DID SAY THAT ...!
WHAT?!
WHAT IS HE TRYING TO SAY?!
BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP
...?
HE'S GONE QUIET...
...
NA—
STAY WITH ME. ALWAYS.

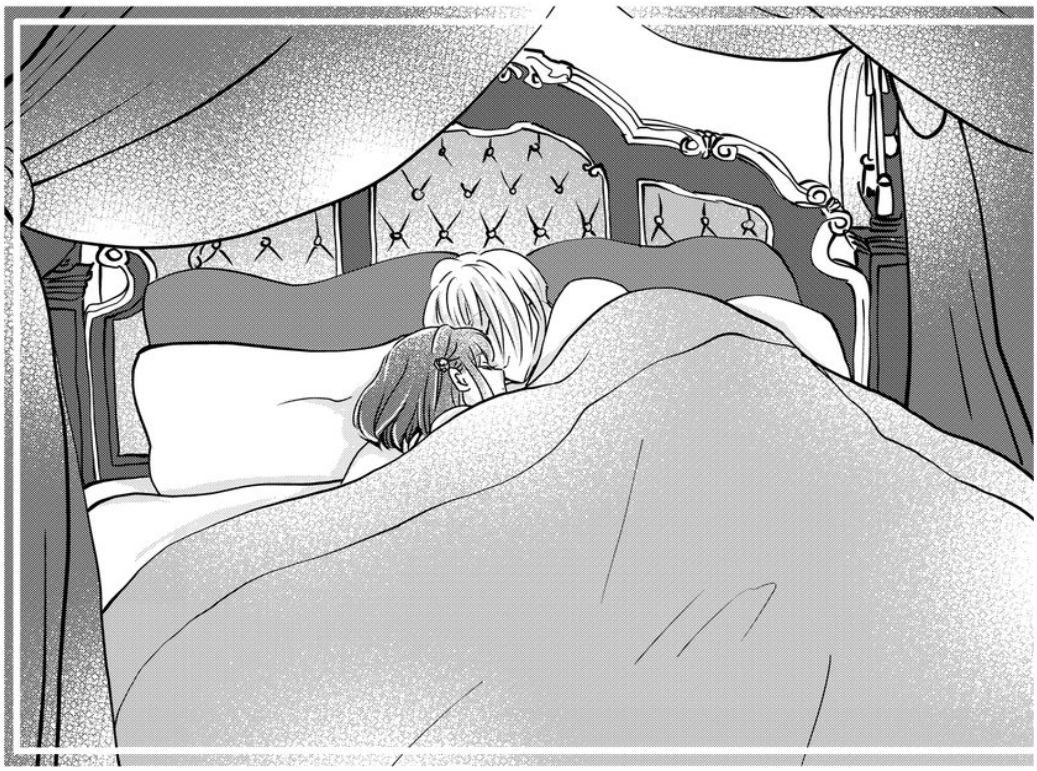
HUH ...?
I SWORE I WOULD. AT THE ALTAR.
I'M NOT AFRAID ANYMORE.
HEH... YOU DID INDEED.
HOW STRANGE ...
I WAS SO NERVOUS JUST MOMENTS AGO.


BUT NOW HE'S HOLDING ME LIKE I'M PRECIOUS.
MY PRINCE...

CREAK
キ…
…!
IT TICKLES A BIT, BUT...
...NOT JUST THAT...
BRIANNA ...
NADIR...


BRIANNA
...
YES...?

I MAY NOT BE ABLE TO KEEP YOU FROM FEELING PAIN, BUT...
...I WANT TO GIVE YOU FOND MEMORIES OF TONIGHT.
I WAS...
...OVER-FLOWING WITH LOVE.
WANTING TO KEEP THE FEELING CLOSE TO MY HEART...
...I HELD ON-TO NADIR LIKE HE WAS MY LIFELINE.



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FSHン…

BA-DUMP
ドキ
I LOOK THE SAME, BUT...
...WE'VE CONSUMMATED OUR MARRIAGE, HUH?
BA-DUMP
ドキ
ドキ THROB ー
HE WAS A HUNDRED TIMES GENTLER THAN I EXPECTED!
BRIAN-NA?
WHERE ARE YOU?
I-I'M HERE.
BRIAN-NA...

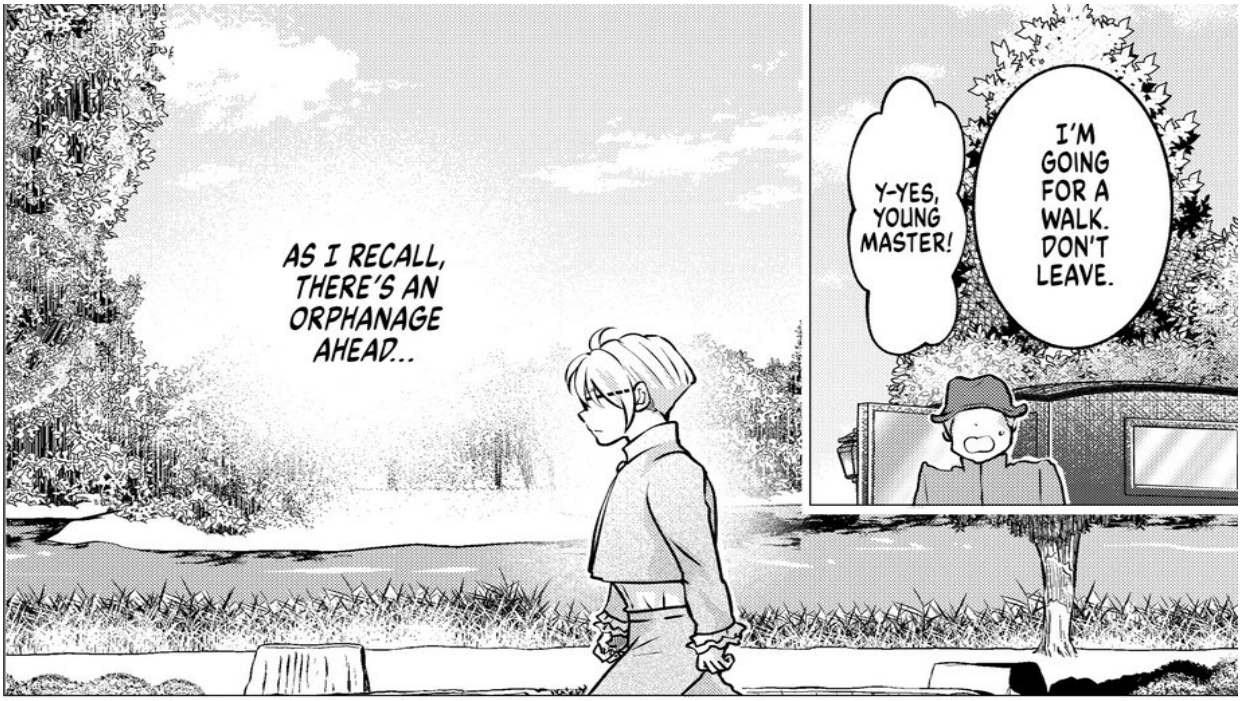
ALL RIGHT, ALL RIGHT! I'M COMING BACK.
IS HE TALKING IN HIS SLEEP?
ZZZ...
12 YEARS AGO
FATHER!
WHERE ARE YOU?!

ドバッ
SLIDE
ズズ…
ドタタタ
TMP TMP TMP
OH! BROTHER!
LETICIA! DO NOT LET THAT DOG IN HERE!
I'M SO SORRY!
WHAT'S GOT YOU IN A TIZZY, NADIR?
FATHER! LOOK AT THESE PAPERS! THE TOTALS, SPECIFICALLY!

WELL, DON'T DO THAT!!!
I'M BAD AT COMPLEX THINGS...
...SO I LEAVE THEM TO MY EMPLOYEES.
REALLY? I DIDN'T KNOW...
IT'S THE WRONG NUMBER OF DIGITS! THE ESTATE'S MAINTENANCE COSTS AREN'T THIS HIGH!
OH?
THE MAN WHO WROTE THIS PILFERED IT!
UM... SOMEONE LEFT IT SOMEWHERE ...?
WHERE DO YOU THINK THE EXCESS AMOUNT WENT?!
He embezzled from us!
CRIMES ARE SUBJECT TO PUNISHMENT!
HE HAS A SMALL CHILD. YOU COULD'VE BEEN MORE LENIENT...
WHAT...? YOU TURNED HIM OVER...? THE POOR MAN!
I TURNED HIM OVER TO THE GUARDS!
WHAAAT?!
THIS IS WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOU SIGN THINGS WITHOUT READING THEM!
GRR...
YIKES...

SLAM
バタン
NADIR ...
OH...
DAMN IT! DAMN IT! DAMN IT...!
THUD
ズカ
THUD
ズカ
THUD
ズカ
FWUMP
ドスッ
WHY IS MY FATHER SUCH AN IDIOT?!
WE'RE LEAVING! JUST GO! I DON'T CARE WHERE!
Y-YES, YOUNG MASTER!
OH... HE'S ONLY TEN...
HE'S BEEN CONSTANTLY CLEANING UP AFTER HIS FATHER SINCE HIS GRANDFATHER DIED ...
WHY DO I GET PAINTED AS THE MONSTER HERE?!
KLAK
ガラ
KLAK
ガラ
KLAK
ガラ
KLAK
ガラ

...IF GRANDFATHER HADN'T TAUGHT ME SO MUCH...
OUR FAMILY WOULD'VE GONE BANKRUPT LONG AGO.
NADIR... YOU HAVE A TALENT FOR ADMINISTRATION.
GRANDFATHER WAS A STELLAR LORD.
I SPOILED MY SON TOO MUCH.
HE FAILED AT PARENTING, THOUGH.
AND MOTHER IS A SHELTERED NOBLEWOMAN.
Administration? What's that?
SO, OF COURSE, IT ALL FALLS TO ME.
And my sister may as well be a wild animal...
KLAK ガラ
KLAK ガラ
HAAH...
Ah ha ha!
Yaaay!
Yay!
STOP HERE.
KLAK ガラ


AS I RECALL, THERE'S AN ORPHANAGE AHEAD...
I'M GOING FOR A WALK. DON'T LEAVE.
Y-YES, YOUNG MASTER!

Ah ha ha ha!
Eeeek!
Yaaay!

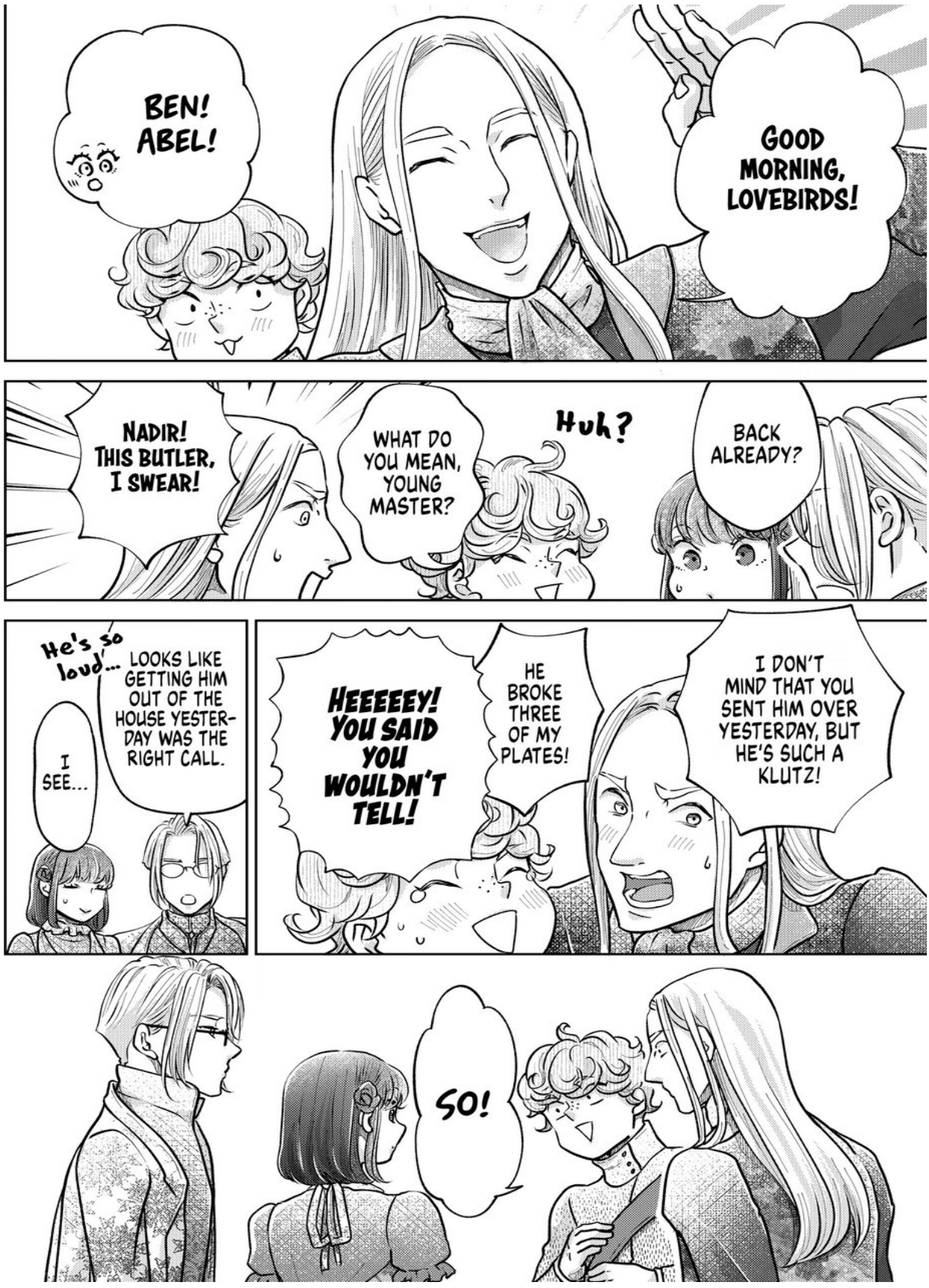
SIGH...
WHAT AM I DOING...?

HEY.
WHO ARE YOU? WHERE'D YOU COME FROM?

YOU'RE HUNG UP ABOUT SOMETHING, AREN'T YOU?

GOOD MORNING, EVERYONE!
YOU'RE UP EARLY, MISTRESS!
GOOD MORNING.
It doesn't suit me!
OH! NONE OF THIS "MISTRESS" BUSINESS!
CONGRAT-ULATIONS, LADY BRIANNA!
NADIR SHOULD BE WAKING UP SOON—

BA-DUMP
ドキ
GOOD MORNING.
BAKING BREAD?
BA-DUMP
ドキ
BA-DUMP
ドキ
BA-DUMP
ドキ
IT SMELLS GOOD.
THE HOUSE FEELS NICE WITH THE NEWLYWEDS AROUND.
IT'S SO PEACEFUL HERE! THOUGH... ARE WE FORGETTING SOMEONE?
DING-DONG
リンゴーン
NO...
ARE YOU SORE?

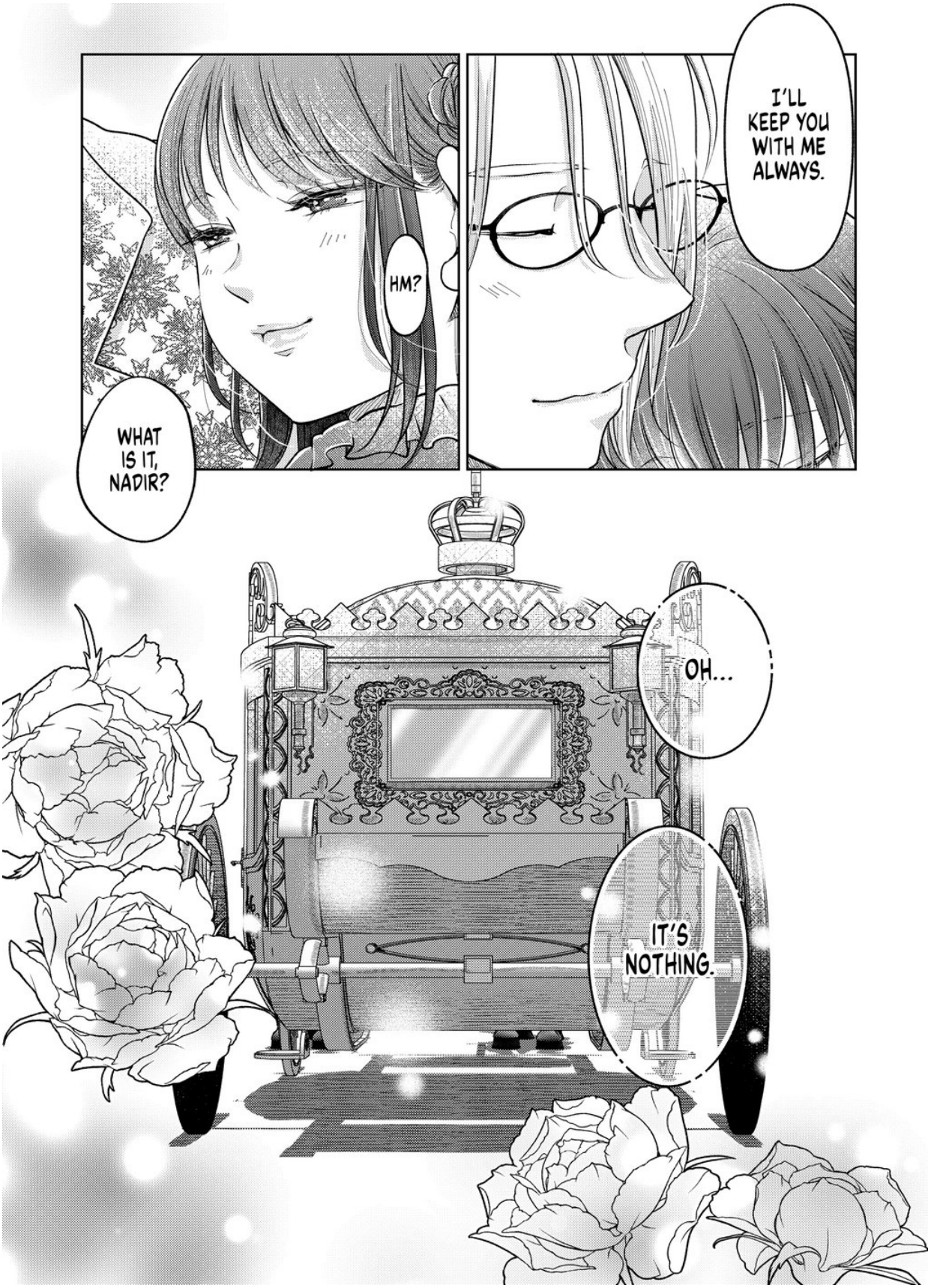

BEN! ABEL!
GOOD MORNING, LOVEBIRDS!
NADIR! THIS BUTLER, I SWEAR!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN, YOUNG MASTER?
Huh?
BACK ALREADY?
He's so loud...
LOOKS LIKE GETTING HIM OUT OF THE HOUSE YESTERDAY WAS THE RIGHT CALL.
I SEE...
HEEEEEY! YOU SAID YOU WOULDN'T TELL!
HE BROKE THREE OF MY PLATES!
I DON'T MIND THAT YOU SENT HIM OVER YESTERDAY, BUT HE'S SUCH A KLUTZ!
SO!

WAAAH!
MMPH! フガ
YOUR FIRST NIGHT TOGETHER MUST'VE GONE REALLY WE—
THERE'S NO WAY YOU'D WANT THIS KID AROUND WHEN YOU'VE JUST GOTTEN MARRIED!
HUH?! YOUNG MAS-TEEER!
ズルズルズル DRAG DRAG DRAG
ズルズル DRAG DRAG
MAYBE I'LL KEEP HIM A FEW DAYS LONGER!!!
TRULY.
A RARE DISPLAY OF COMMON SENSE FROM THE KING OF OVERSTAYING HIS WELCOME...
BUSINESS AS USUAL
THEN WE'LL PROCEED WITH VISITING OUR VASSALS AND INSPECTING OUR LANDS.
ALL RIGHT! I'VE PREPARED GIFTS AS WELL.
AFTER LETICIA'S HONEYMOON, I'M GOOD ON TRAVELING FOR A WHILE.
ARE YOU SURE YOU'RE FINE WITH THE HONEYMOON BEING DELAYED?

WE SHOULD STOP BY THE ROYAL PALACE, TOO, SO I CAN START DOING BUSINESS!
LET'S GO.
YES, NADIR.
OH, HOW WONDERFUL TO SEE A WORKING WOMAN AS A FUTURE DUCHESS!
TIMES ARE CHANGING, AREN'T THEY?
KLAK
ガラ
KLAK
ガラ
KLAK
ガラ
KLAK
ガラ

YOU MUST BE SLEEPY.
YOU SHOULD NAP.
ARE YOU SURE?
YES. LEAN ON ME.
"HUH...?"
"YOU WANT TO ADOPT ANNA?"
"YES. THE LORD OF MY FAMILY HAS ALREADY SIGNED THE AUTHORIZATION."
"I'M SO SORRY. ANNA ISN'T HERE ANYMORE..."

"WELL... I ONLY DID WHAT THE MANAGER ASKED OF ME..."
"I DON'T KNOW THE DETAILS..."
"SHE'S BEEN ADOPTED?"
"BY WHOM?!"
I'LL FIND HER...!
I LOOKED AND LOOKED, BUT COULDN'T FIND ANY TRACE OF YOU.
BUT NOW... YOU'RE RIGHT HERE.


I'LL KEEP YOU WITH ME ALWAYS.
HM?
WHAT IS IT, NADIR?
OH...
IT'S NOTHING.

I want him gone...!
The Young Master's gonna get rid of meee!
WAAAH!

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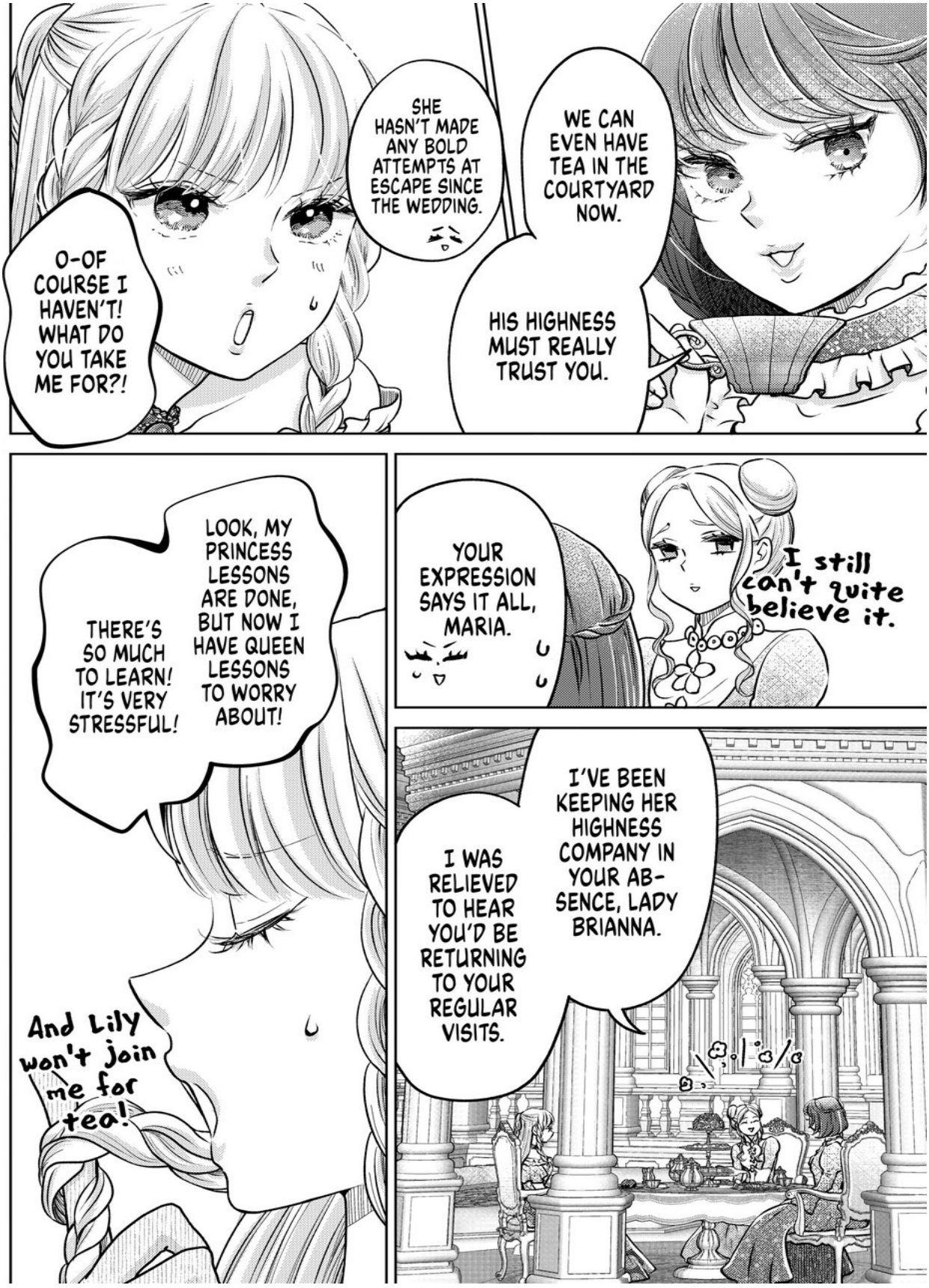
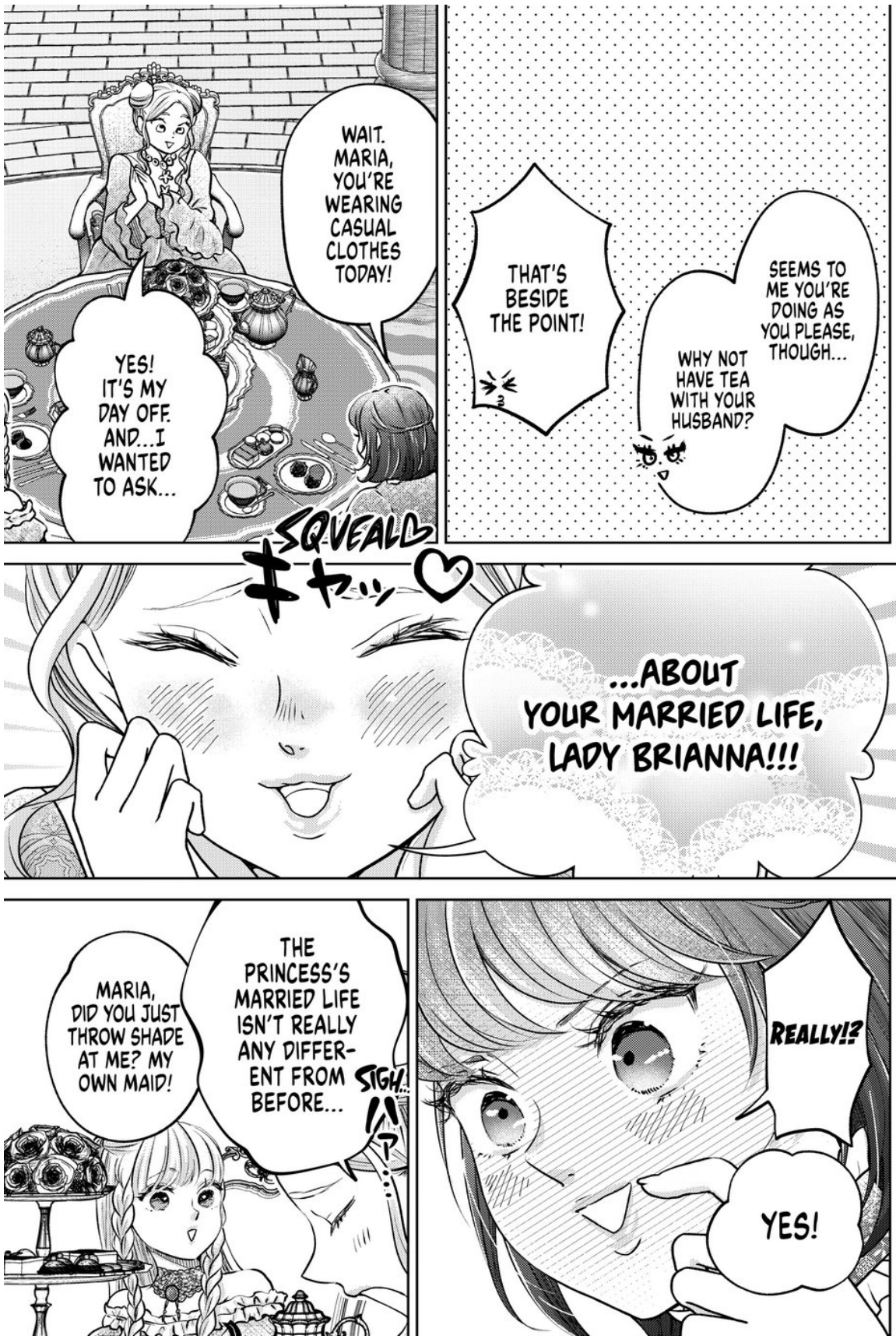
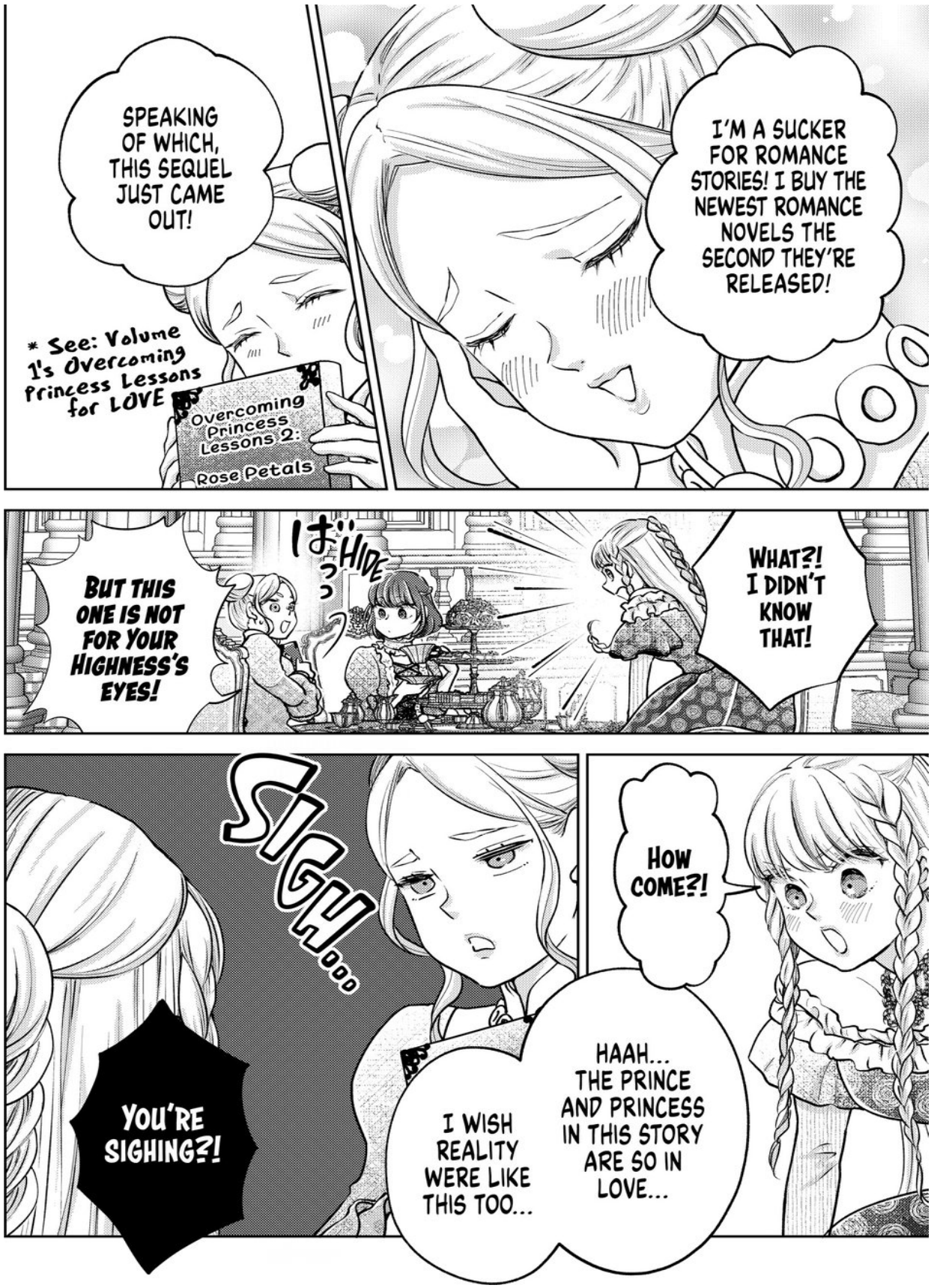
AHH... EVERYTHING'S SO PEACEFUL...


WE CAN EVEN HAVE TEA IN THE COURTYARD NOW.
HIS HIGHNESS MUST REALLY TRUST YOU.
SHE HASN'T MADE ANY BOLD ATTEMPTS AT ESCAPE SINCE THE WEDDING.
O-OF COURSE I HAVEN'T! WHAT DO YOU TAKE ME FOR?!
YOUR EXPRESSION SAYS IT ALL, MARIA.
I still can't quite believe it.
I'VE BEEN KEEPING HER HIGHNESS COMPANY IN YOUR ABSENCE, LADY BRIANNA.
I WAS RELIEVED TO HEAR YOU'D BE RETURNING TO YOUR REGULAR VISITS.
LOOK, MY PRINCESS LESSONS ARE DONE, BUT NOW I HAVE QUEEN LESSONS TO WORRY ABOUT!
THERE'S SO MUCH TO LEARN! IT'S VERY STRESSFUL!
And Lily won't join me for tea!


WAIT. MARIA, YOU'RE WEARING CASUAL CLOTHES TODAY!
YES! IT'S MY DAY OFF. AND...I WANTED TO ASK...
THAT'S BESIDE THE POINT!
WHY NOT HAVE TEA WITH YOUR HUSBAND?
SEEMS TO ME YOU'RE DOING AS YOU PLEASE, THOUGH...
SQUEAL♡
キャッ♡
...ABOUT YOUR MARRIED LIFE, LADY BRIANNA!!!
MARIA, DID YOU JUST THROW SHADE AT ME? MY OWN MAID!
THE PRINCESS'S MARRIED LIFE ISN'T REALLY ANY DIFFER-ENT FROM BEFORE...
SIGH...
REALLY!?
YES!


I'M A SUCKER FOR ROMANCE STORIES! I BUY THE NEWEST ROMANCE NOVELS THE SECOND THEY'RE RELEASED!
SPEAKING OF WHICH, THIS SEQUEL JUST CAME OUT!
* See: Volume 1's Overcoming Princess Lessons for LOVE
Overcoming Princess Lessons 2: Rose Petals
WHAT?! I DIDN'T KNOW THAT!
ばっ HIDE
BUT THIS ONE IS NOT FOR YOUR HIGHNESS'S EYES!
HOW COME?!
HAAH... THE PRINCE AND PRINCESS IN THIS STORY ARE SO IN LOVE...
I WISH REALITY WERE LIKE THIS TOO...
SIGH...
YOU'RE SIGHING?!

Overcoming Princess Lessons 2:
Rose Peta
YES! ROSE PETALS IS A HUGE HIT RIGHT NOW!
IS THE BOOK THAT GOOD?
MARIA, YOU'RE DROOLING.
EH HEH.... HEH HEH... HEH HEH HEH HEH...
ROSE PETALS?
GAH!
THROB
FOR...YOU KNOW... SOMETHING YOU CAN DO AFTER MARRIAGE.
IT'S A EUPHEMISM.
WHISPER

OLDER WOMEN DON'T TELL UNMARRIED GIRLS ABOUT A LOT OF THINGS, ALL TO PRESERVE THEIR PURITY!
SO WE HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO SNEAKILY BUY NOVELS.
A "ROSE PETAL" IN THIS CASE IS...

CAN YOU REALLY HEAR THEM FROM THIS DISTANCE?
SHH! I'M ALL DONE WITH MY MORNING WORK, ALL RIGHT?
YOUR HIGH-NESS.
THERE YOU ARE.
THEY'RE TALKING ABOUT MARRIED LIFE.
YOUR EARS ARE SHARP AS A BLADE ...
IT'S PURE FOCUS!
!!!
I DID.
...
Right...
UM, SAY, NADIR...?
ON YOUR WEDDING NIGHT... DID YOU... UM..

GRR...
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VRK!
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っ...
SCRAAAPE
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ギ
JEALOUS
YOUR HIGH-NESS...
HE'S RADI-ATING ENVY.
I SHOULD APOLOGIZE.
FORGIVE ME.
WHAAAT?! THEY'RE HICKEYS?!
SHHH!
SHHH!

AHEM! コホン
YES! AND THEY'RE ALL THE RAGE AMONG NOBLEWOMEN RIGHT NOW!
THERE'S A BIT OF A TRICK TO IT. YOU NEED TO KISS WITH SUCTION, AND THEN THIS HAPPENS...
L-LOOKING AT THIS ILLUSTRATION, THAT DOES RESEMBLE A ROSE PETAL ...
LETTIE
YOUR AND PRINCE CLARKE'S WEDDING STARTED AN UNPRECEDENTED, NATIONWIDE MARRIAGE BOOM!
NEWLYWED WOMEN ALL OVER ARE SHOWING OFF THEIR... H-HICKEYS ...
...WHILE YOUNG GIRLS LOOK ON WITH LONGING!
BLUUUSH
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あ
あ

AHH... SOMEDAY, I HOPE TO BEAR THAT SYMBOL OF LOVE TOO—
MARIAAA!!! FOOOUND YOOOU!!!
EEK!
PRINCE LOUIS!
HUH?! YOU'RE IN CASUAL CLOTHES?!
YOU ARE! OH, MARIA, YOU'RE SO LOVELY! IT REMINDS ME OF OUR TIME TOGETHER AT THE PALACE IN DELBARAN!
IT'S... IT'S MY DAY OFF.
SO HE'S STILL IN THIS COUNTRY TO STUDY...

YOUR DAY OFF?! THEN LET'S GO ON A DATE!
N-NO WAY!
YES WAY!
WAIT A SECOND! LYLE?! WHERE'S LYLE?!
Your master is over here!
HIS PASSION HASN'T DULLED ONE BIT...
AND HE'S GROWN A LITTLE TALLER.
Mariaaaa!
NOOO! LEAVE ME ALOOONE!
OH! MARIA!
SHE LEFT HER BOOK BEHIND...

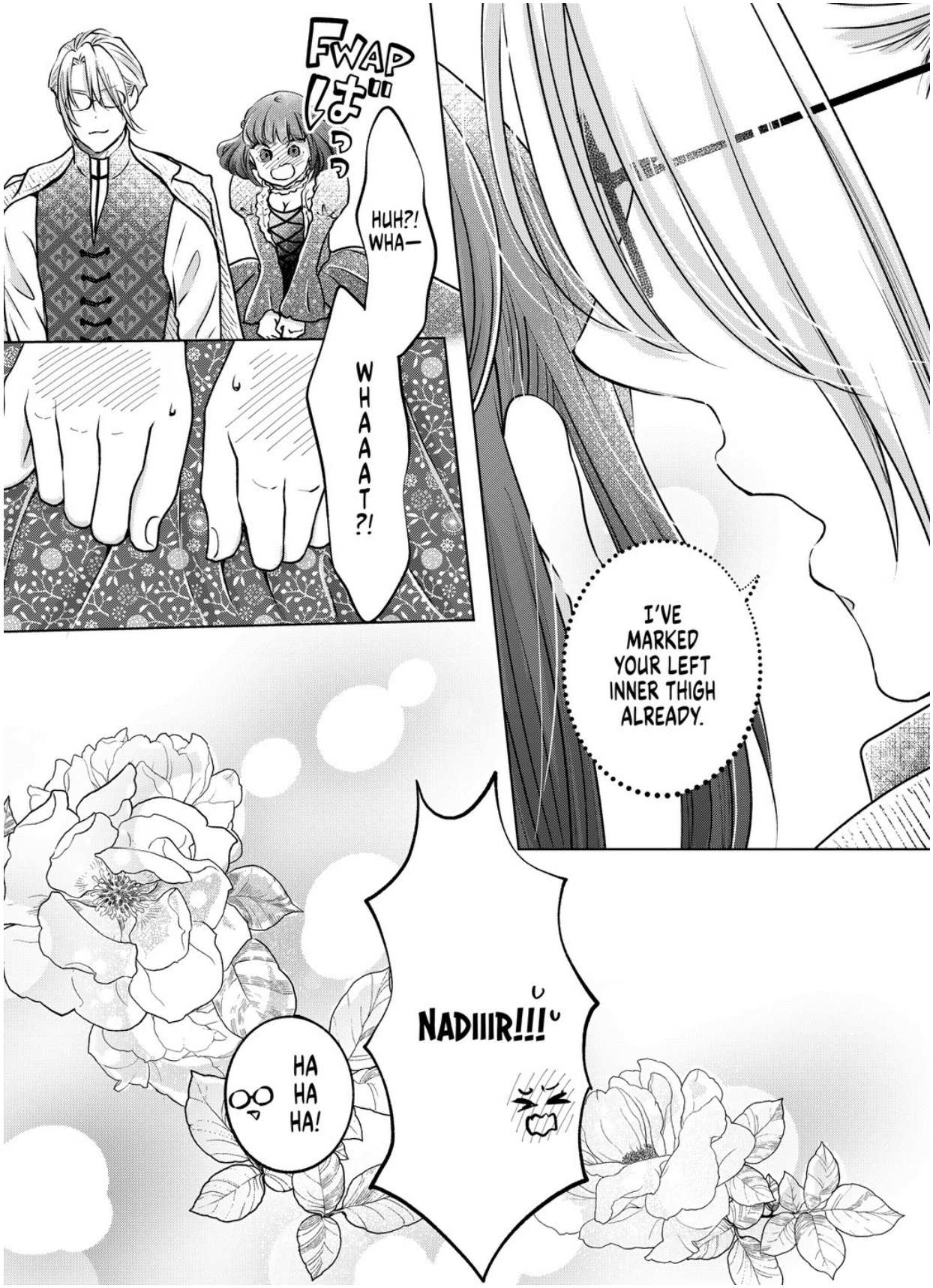
THAT BOOK LOOKS FUN. MAYBE I'LL READ IT...
LORD CLARKE!
N-NO! I SAW IT FIRST!
TH-THEN LET'S READ IT TOGETHER.
NO WAY!

IT'S ABOUT TIME WE GO.
WELL, THEN— WAIT, THEY'RE NOT LISTENING.
Let's just go...
SO... HICKEYS, HUH?
Y-YOU HEARD THAT?!
THE ENTIRE PALACE HEARD YOU TWO SHOUTING.
ARE YOU CURIOUS ABOUT THEM?
HUH?!

I MEAN...
THEY'RE TRENDY NOW AMONG YOUNG GIRLS! SO, FOR PROFESSIONAL REASONS, I SHOULD...
AAAH!
FLINCH
I JUST HAD A MARVELOUS IDEA!
THAT MARK...
...REQUIRES SUCTION, RIGHT? SO IT'S TECHNICALLY A BRUISE!

MERCHANT AT HEART
SCARVES MADE OF THICK RIBBONS WILL SELL LIKE HOTCAKES!
IT PROBABLY LASTS A FEW DAYS.
SO WHAT IF YOU SUDDENLY NEED TO ATTEND AN EVENING BANQUET, OR SOMETHING!
SIGH...
WHAT DO YOU THINK, NADIR?

I WONDER HOW MANY DAYS THEY TAKE TO FADE...
MUTTER
MUTTER
MUTTER
SHALL WE GO HOME AND FIND OUT?
HUH?!
OR SO I WOULD ASK, BUT...


FWAP
HUH?! WHA—
WHAAAAT?!
I'VE MARKED YOUR LEFT INNER THIGH ALREADY.
NADIIIR!!!
HA HA HA!

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To be continued

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Extra Story
U::STAAARE
AREN'T YOU HOT ...?
NOT AT ALL.
MY WIFE...
...KNIT THIS FOR ME.
I SEE ...

TILL NEXT TIME.
パタン
KLAK
UGH! I'M SO JEAL-OUS!
SO AM I!!!
HE'S TOTALLY GONNA WEAR IT EVERY DAY UNTIL SPRING!
GRR...
WELL, PRINCE LOUIS, IF MARIA EVER KNIT ONE FOR YOU—
WHY, I'D EVEN WEAR IT—TO BED!
THOUGHT SO.
RIGHT... NOW THREAD IT THROUGH HERE...LIKE THIS...
UMM... NO, NOT LIKE THAT.

I SUCK AT THIS!
ME TOO...
SO YOU DO...
IT'S NOT DIFFICULT ONCE YOU GET IT.
I'M MORE OF AN ATHLETIC-TYPE GAL!
わーーっ
Waaaaaah!
バーン
BAM
LETTIE!
LORD CLARKE!
I-IS THAT ...?!
GASP はっ
DID YOU KNIT THAT?!
DON'T LOOK AT IT!

AND THEN...
KLAKKA ガラン...
KLAKKA ガタン
"I'M SO GLAD YOU GAVE IT A TRY, LETTIE!"
"I'LL FRAME IT!"
REALLY. HE ACTUALLY SAID THAT.
SOUNDS LIKE HIM.
SUCH AN ODD COUPLE.
KLAKKA ガタン
IT'S WARM...
SINCE YOU LOVED IT SO MUCH ...
LOOK! I MADE THESE TOO!

...I USED TO MAKE THESE FOR THEM OFTEN.
MY PARENTS ARE GETTING OLD, SO...
HUH? SOCKS... AND A WAIST-BAND?
BEAM
BEAM
I'LL MAKE YOU SOME WOOLEN UNDERPANTS NEXT!
UNDER—
Nooo!
Lettie knit this for me!
Ummm...
WAIT...BUT IF I THINK ABOUT IT AS HER SEEING ME AS FAMILY...
SH-SHE'S TREATING ME LIKE HER PAR-ENTS...
?

Afterword

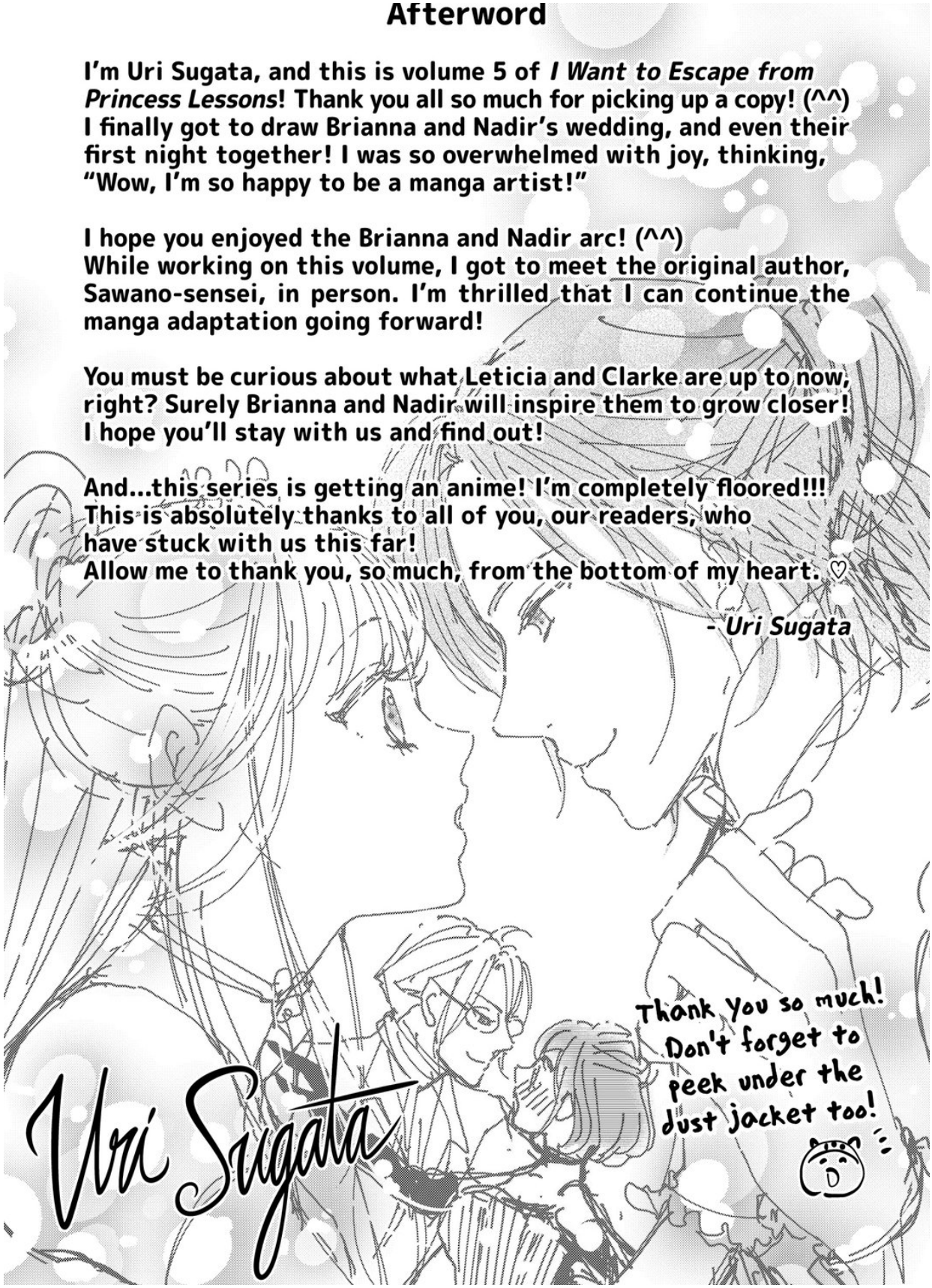
I'm Uri Sugata, and this is volume 5 of *I Want to Escape from Princess Lessons*! Thank you all so much for picking up a copy! (^^)
I finally got to draw Brianna and Nadir's wedding, and even their first night together! I was so overwhelmed with joy, thinking, "Wow, I'm so happy to be a manga artist!"

I hope you enjoyed the Brianna and Nadir arc! (^^)
While working on this volume, I got to meet the original author, Sawano-sensei, in person. I'm thrilled that I can continue the manga adaptation going forward!

You must be curious about what Leticia and Clarke are up to now, right? Surely Brianna and Nadir will inspire them to grow closer!
I hope you'll stay with us and find out!

And...this series is getting an anime! I'm completely floored!!!
This is absolutely thanks to all of you, our readers, who have stuck with us this far!
Allow me to thank you, so much, from the bottom of my heart. ♡

- Uri Sugata



I Want to Escape
from Princess Lessons

AFTERWORD

Thank you for picking up a copy of volume 5 of the *I Want to Escape from Princess Lessons* manga! I'm Izumi Sawano, the original author.

Brianna's arc—everyone's favorite!—has drawn to a close. How was it? Leticia tends to try and run, but Brianna is the type to face things head-on! It's a little sad to see her arc end, but the story is far from over and, of course, Brianna and Nadir will continue to pop up here and there!

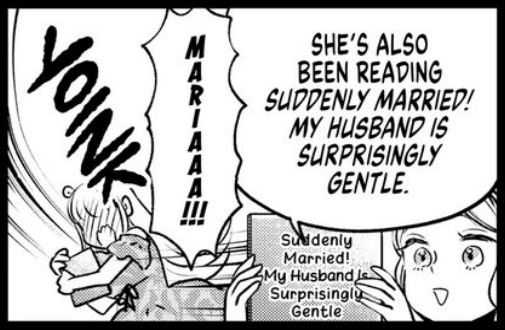
And...an anime has been announced! Never in my wildest dreams did I think my story would be animated—I'm beyond stoked!

This is all thanks to our readers' support, as well as our team and Sugata-sensei!

I hope you'll continue to support us!

Troubled Leticia
Sulky Leticia
THAT'S NOT WHAT THIS IS ABOUT!
I've heard all about it.
WHY DO YOU NEED ME AROUND, ANYWAY? YOU AND YOUR HUSBAND ARE ALL LOVEY-DOVEY.
WHAT ARE YOU GOING ON ABOUT?
FRIENDSHIP IS SUPPOSED TO COME BEFORE EVERYTHING ELSE, YOU KNOW!
HASN'T BEEN TO THE CASTLE IN A WHILE
...I FEEL LIKE I'M LOSING TO MY BROTHER!
WHAT BOTHERS ME IS THAT...
SCREEE...
WELL...I'M JUST WORKING AS NADIR'S MAID...
YOU LIKE MY BROTHER MORE THAN YOU LIKE ME, BRIE!
I HATE THIS!
SHE SAID IT TWICE, EVEN.
TO. MY. BROTH-ER!
WHY DO I FEEL LIKE AN ABSENT HUSBAND GETTING YELLED AT...?
SULK SULK SULK
BUT YOU COULD VISIT THE PALACE MORE OFTEN!
YOU'RE THE FRUSTRATING ONE, LETICIA!
THIS IS ALSO A RECENT FAVORITE BOOK.
Gauging Distance in Friendships
UGHHH! THIS IS SO FRUSTRATING!
I can't overstate how much!
SO IT'S THE BOOK'S INFLUENCE.
Friendships and New Love
I see!
WEEP WEEP
THIS BOOK IS HER HIGHNESS'S FAVORITE OF LATE.
THOUGH I DON'T HAVE SIBLINGS, MYSELF...

Who's at Fault?



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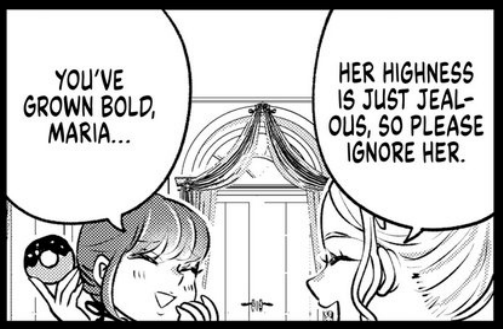

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